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PROGRAMME.

FIRST DAY—OCTOBER 2.

A. M. Entries of Stock, and articles for the Hall.
P. M. Awarding of Hall Premiums by the Committee.

SECOND DAY—OCTOBER 3.

9 A. M. Stock and Poultry to be judged, and awards to be made.
Rifle Shooting at State Rifle Range, for prizes $10.00 and $5.00, 1,000 yards, open to general competitors. $10.00 and $5.00, 200 yards, open to Militia teams of Maine.
3 P. M. Exhibition of Driving and Trotting Horses.
7.30 P. M. Annual Address by Mr. E. Th. Gennert, of Portland.

THIRD DAY—OCTOBER 4.

10 A. M. Exhibition of Prize Animals.
4 P. M. Annual Meeting and Election of Officers.

Tickets to and from Portland, including admission to the Fair and Hall and Rifle Range, **$1.25**, and half price with twenty-five cents, to and from intermediate stations, to be had at all stations of the Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad.

SAMUEL DINGLEY, Secretary.

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Grand Complimentary Entertainment

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MR. EDWARD DOHERTY

—AT—

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Private lessons will be given to pupils of the evening classes free of charge.

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M. B. GILBERT.

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AN EVENING OF SACRED SONG,

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The Portland Army and Navy Union

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CONCERT AND LECTURE COURSE

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Thursday Evening, Nov. 14.
Readings in Costume by Prof. Atkinson and Miss Eva Phillips.

Thursday Evening, Nov. 28.
Grand Concert by the Weber Quartette assisted by a Lady Vocalist and Cornet Soloist.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 12,
Lecture on the Electric Telegraph, illustrated with Stereopticon and a large collection of Electric Apparatus.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 19,
An Evening of Pure Fun, by Felch and Gilbert's Jollities.

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Reserved seats for the course, 50 cents. Sale of reserved seats will take place at G. A. R. Hall, corner of Congress and Casco streets, Oct. 10, at 8 p. m.; doors open at 7 p. m. Course tickets will be for sale at same time. oc4d1f

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G. WM. DOUGHTY.

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JAMES CUNNINGHAM.

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July 16, 1878. jy17dtf

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A great bargain to any one wanting a LIGHT EXPRESS WAGON.

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Portland, Aug. 5, 1878. au5dtf

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THE co-partnership which has existed between Howe & Small, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either parties are authorized to settle the affairs of the firm. The book accounts will be found with Jeremiah Howe, at 85 Commercial street, for the present.

JEREMIAH HOWE.
M. W. SMALL.

Oct. 1, 1878. oct2d3t*

TO MY FORMER PATRONS.

HAVING sold to Dr. G. E. DOW, my Dental office and good will, I cheerfully recommend him to all my former patrons as a competent person to fill the position I have occupied in Portland for the past fifteen years.

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sep13eodtf 499 1-2 Congress St.

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The Evening School

—OF THE—

Portland Fraternity

will begin its sessions for the ensuing year at

Half-past Seven O'clock P. M. Monday, the 7th of October, 1878.

The following arrangement of classes will be observed:

MONDAY—Arithmetic.
TUESDAY—Geography, Grammar, History, Free-hand Drawing.
WEDNESDAY—Reading, Declamation.
THURSDAY—Book-keeping, Geometry.
FRIDAY—Penmanship, Mechanical Drawing.

Competent teachers have been secured for all the departments.

Instruction in other branches will be afforded as the needs of the pupils require.

Saturday evening will generally be occupied with a familiar lecture on some instructive and entertaining topic.

Any person who has attained the age of fifteen years and is recommended by some responsible citizen, may, upon payment of one dollar, be admitted for one year to all the privileges of instruction and amusement regularly furnished by the Society.

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The usual course of study for pupils of both sexes. French lessons by Prof. Masse. Elocution taught by Mrs. Currier.

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5 "	9.00	80 "	28.00
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Portland Benevolent Society.

THE annual meeting for the choice of officers will be held WEDNESDAY, Oct. 9th at 3 o'clock p. m. at National Traders Bank.

se26td THOMAS R. HAYES, Secretary.

THE PRESS.

FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 4.

We do not read anonymous letters and communications. The name and address of the writer are in all cases indispensable, not necessarily for publication but as a guaranty of good faith.

We cannot undertake to return or preserve communications that are not used.

EVERY regular attaché of the PRESS is furnished with a *Card* certificate countersigned by Stanley T. Pullen, Editor. All railway, steamboat and hotel managers will confer a favor upon us by demanding credentials of every person claiming to represent our journal.

If the Union was worth fighting for it is worth paying for.

The Colorado Victory.

The Colorado election is of no little importance on several accounts. Regarded even from the narrowest party standpoint it is a considerable triumph for the Republicans, for it gives them a Congressman, secures a Senator, and makes certain that the vote of the State will be cast for the Republican candidate if the next Presidential election should be thrown into the House.

But the election results in greater good than this. It teaches politicians that they will not find it safe to disregard the will of the people or reverse its declared expression. At the last Congressional election of 1876 the Republican candidate had nearly a thousand majority over his competitor. But the Democrats in the House fancied it necessary to add one to their number, and so, on the weakest of technicalities Mr. Belford, who was elected, was deprived of his seat and Mr. Patterson, the defeated candidate, put in his place. The people of Colorado have just had the opportunity to express their opinion of the outrage—and that expression is one of emphatic disapproval. Mr. Belford's majority is nearly treble that he had in 1876, and the Republicans have secured two-thirds of the Legislature. If the result teaches the Democratic House justice and decency it is worth a great deal more than a party triumph.

Another good thing about the Colorado election is the small Greenback vote. Not more than six hundred Greenback ballots were thrown in the whole State. Evidently the fiat-money lunacy has not found many victims there. It is to be sincerely hoped that it will show no greater relative strength in other portions of the West.

THE Lord Chancellor of England has just been created Earl Cairns and Viscount Garmoyle. He is not yet sixty years old. The younger son of a country gentleman in the north of Ireland, he began by sweeping up the principal prizes and honors in the University of Dublin; after which he became a barrister in London, in which capacity he soon obtained enormous practice, was made Judge of Appeal in his 47th year, and, on Mr. Disraeli's becoming Premier, was made Lord Chancellor, and created Baron Cairns. He has acquired so large a fortune at the bar, chiefly invested in landed estates in England, that he can fully "sustain the dignity" of an Earldom. He is the third Chancellor during the present century raised to that rank, the previous cases being John Scott, made Earl of Eldon, in 1821, and C. C. Pepys, made Earl of Cottenham, in June, 1850, nineteen days before resigning office. Lord Cairns is the only Irishman that ever was made Lord Chancellor.

THE New York Democrats seem to know and appreciate each other very thoroughly. At the Syracuse convention the Tildenites temporarily seceded in order to pass a resolution denouncing the rest of the convention as a gang of thieves. And now the New York *Express*, the Tammany organ, says Tilden's friends are trying to buy up two or three members of the state committee in order to control the machine, and adds that men who "club together to steal a convention are equal to almost anything, from robbing a hen roost to bribing a legislator." The only point where all these statesmen agree is in denouncing "fraud" in the Republican party.

THE situation is put in this clear way by the Cleveland *Herald*: If you wanted to know whether grain was scarce you would go to the millers and grain-dealers; if you wanted to know whether coal was scarce you would go to the coal merchants. Now, if you want to know whether money is scarce, go to the banks—they deal in money. They will tell you that there are millions of unemployed currency in the country and that many banks are retiring their circulation because there is no profitable use for it. They will tell you, too, that it is not more money that is needed, but more business to employ the money already in existence.

THE International Peace Congress was a funny affair. The members called each other bad names and came near to fighting. Only their principles, and the president, prevented them. Mr. Bratiano, representative of the peace-loving Kingdom of Roumania, was one of the leading members of the Congress. The millennium is some years away yet.

WESLEY BISHOP is probably the meanest man alive. He has confessed—the crime of another; and attempts to throw the larger portion of the blame for the murder of his wife upon the woman who was led by her misguided passion for him to assist in the crime.

WHEN Greenbacks were first issued, prices of all the necessaries of life went up sooner and much higher, in proportion, than wages. Should the Greenbackers succeed in obtaining another issue of irredeemable paper currency, the same experience will be repeated.

DURING the eight months ending with August our exports exceeded our imports by $188,000,000. We have kept in the country most of the products of our mines, the excess of exports over imports of specie being only $921,283.

MEXICAN bandits are now robbing United States mail coaches. As we have no army to speak of, the Government will, as usual, be obliged to accept the situation as gracefully as possible.

CONNECTICUT, says the Hartford *Courant*, "is gaining a very unenviable notoriety for startling crimes." Wait till the returns from Maine are all in before you begin to plume yourselves on your wickedness.

TWENTY-FIVE millions of the public debt paid last year, nine millions since last June, three millions during last month, make an excellent showing.

IF the *Argus* is to be believed Senators Blaine and Hoar are mere school-boys in comparison with the Hon. George F. Talbot.

IT is said that Wilhelm surpasses even the shaggy Rubenstein.

The Chinese.

The Chinese are a painstaking, industrious and marvellously capable people. Statesmanship and political economy, as well as Christianity, bid us welcome subchelp in subduing the continent—not violently to thrust them out. That we, who fled here only two centuries ago, should refuse the Chinese a place, is monstrous. But that the Irish, who only fifty or thirty years ago came here and took shelter under institutions already established, should use the rights we have shared with them to oppress and torment the Chinese is shameful inconsistency; another instance of how often the persecuted are themselves the first to persecute. Shame on the Irishman who, after his country's four centuries of protest and rebellion, borrows of England the self-same infamous and hateful weapons to use them against the Chinese! If so sad and wicked an act could be the subject of mirth, the whole civilized world would see it as the most ridiculous inconsistency. But a deeper feeling, that of detestation and abhorrence, is the mood of every honest man, and one needs the masterly sarcasm and rebuke of O'Connell fitly to describe it.—Wendell Phillips.

Men and Women

The Sherman (Tex.) Register is publishing the life of a gentleman who recently had a discussion at Fort Worth with the lamented Mr. "Billy Creiger over a bowl of the rosy, which resulted in Buffalo William lifting Creiger from the floor on the end of his butcher knife and pinning him to the ceiling."

Mary Anderson feeds genius with beefsteak. She says: "When I come home at night I am awfully hungry. I eat a beefsteak supper when I come home from the theater—a nice underdone steak—and not a very small one at that. But after my midnight supper I go to bed and sleep with the most perfect quietude.

A young couple of Le Roy, N. Y., had their wedding-day selected, and then got into a squabble over which church the knot should be tied in. He wanted to go to the Presbyterian edifice because it was the fashionable one of the village, and she wanted to go to the Baptist one, for she used to sing in the choir there. The quarrel snapped the engagement.

J. O. Pierce went from central New York to St. Louis during the war, where he coined a fortune baking "hard tack," and built one of the best-finished houses in the city, which was dubbed "Cracker Castle." Pierce spent $100,000 on this house, the front door alone costing $1800, but he went down with the collapse of his speculative ventures and the other day the sheriff sold his magnificent castle for $13,000.

With women, marked, irregular noses, e. g. with deep indenture of the bridge, or with concave or convex archings, or with *facettes* at the knob, etc., signify far more talent than with men; and (except in the case of a few, whom I myself have seen,) beauty must always sacrifice something to genius, although not so much as afterwards the genius of others sacrifices to beauty, as we men in general have, unfortunately, perhaps, done.—Richter.

The famous Prussian painter Menzel has his studio beside the larger hall in which are assembled his students, so that he can drop in, correct and suggest, and a moment thereafter seat himself at his own work. According to a not improbable legend, one day the door of his studio was opened by a very much frightened pupil, who cried "Herr Menzel! Herr Menzel! The model has dropped dead!" "The devil he has!" exclaimed the painter, "I hope some of you had the sense to sketch it."

A Florence correspondent of the Philadelphia Bulletin writes; "The prince imperial I have often met walking alone or with some friend on the Colli. I do not believe that Victor Hugo is correct when he states that he is neither 'the son of his father nor the nephew of his uncle.' His figure is exactly like that of Napoleon III., with long waist and short legs. His countenance much resembles that of his mother, which is unfortunate for a man, as it does not convey the impression of strength. The republic may be at rest. This youth will not disturb it."

Makart, the great Viennese painter, is even more taciturn than Von Moltke, the man who is silent in seven languages. An American who had been told that the best way to get on friendly terms with the artist would be to play chess with him at the *café* to which he resorts nightly, watched his opportunity and when Makart's opponent rose slipped into the vacant chair. At last his dream was about to be realized; he was to spend an evening in Makart's society. The painter signed to him to play, and the game went on with no other sound than the moving of the pieces. At last the American made the winning move and exclaimed: "Mate!" Up rose Makart in disgust and stalked out, saying angrily to a friend who asked why he left so early: "Oh, I can't stand playing with a chatterbox!"

All the social upheavals in Mexico for the past sixty years have failed to mingle the blood of the Indians with the blue blood of a certain element of their conquerors and descendants of their conquerors. This is the guera element, which has held its own inviolate amidst the surging passions surrounding it, amidst temptations which nothing but a haughty pride of race would or could have resisted. There are two types of the gueras. The first has some very distinct characteristics. The face is spirituelle, and has that subdued expression which invariably results from religious meditation, and in color is white as alabaster. The flesh is faultlessly white, tinged with a refined but healthy pallidness. The eyes are usually dark, large and lustrous, and the hair abundant and black as the raven's wing. The teeth are perfect, and white as snowflakes. The "rubias," the second type, are superb specimens of womanhood, and are so called because they have auburn or golden hair, which in some instances runs into a flaming rich red color. The eyes are often deep blue, and soft and entreating in their expression. The flesh has a sunset tinge to it which indicates a more warm and sensuous nature than that of the paler-hued women. Near the town of Agur Caliente, State of Simaloa, there is a village of rubias, the young women of which are matchless in their style of beauty. Tall and graceful, they move about, the very symbols of the poetry of motion. They have something in their manner and style similar to the higher classes of Russian women, and whom they greatly resemble. The rubias, like the gueras, live mostly in the interior, where the climate is more mild and genial, while the dark races inhabit the hot regions along the coast.

The last "Celebrity at Home," in the London World, sketches Alexandre Dumas in his spacious house at Paris. "The room in which he works is the house in miniature, a perfect nest of *bric-a-brac*. The large table in the middle is seen at a glance to belong to a methodical craftsman. It is a piece of furniture contrived a triple debt to pay—a writing-desk, a pigeon-holed bureau, and a row of drawers in one. He has himself published a description of it in a letter adressed to a friend. 'It is stored,' he says, 'with paper of every form, and of varied tints, which I spread in profusion about me to give me the taste for work; for, as I take it, nothing is more appetizing to a writer than fine paper. It is the kitten's saucer of milk; it is irresistible. Below are my letters. I keep every one I receive; there are some that are thirty years old. And how many *dead* ones already! They are in an immense receptacle with partitions, which I call the Common Grave. Don't be astonished if I should one day publish a book with that title. When I have thought out a play, I take twenty sheets of paper for each act but the last, and away I go. As I near the twentieth, I begin to think it is time to finish the act. The last act is limited to seventeen sheets; it ought to be shorter than the rest. I have fixed the quantity of matter by long experience; the public won't digest more.' In the smaller, as in the larger surroundings, he shows himself fully sensible of the influence of association; his paper-weights are models in bronze or marble of the hands of his friends—it need not be said that his choice is rigorously confined to one sex. Every hand is a souvenir, and one of peculiar beauty is that, and a mystery as well, for all but the owner of the model. 'Imagine,' he says, 'that in 1843, on the 11th of April—' and here the history breaks off. A fine crayon portrait that he used to have constantly before him is that of the Jeannine of Les Idees de Madame Aubrey: he has *lived* all his works."

[Prof. W. G. Sumner, in Scribner for Oct.]

The Methods of Socialism.

Socialism, as a movement, does not move by discussion. Its programme is violence. Its tone is: No argument; let us have our way, or beware! Modern violence consists largely in voting, and when this kind is available and sufficient, the social democracy asks no more. If it is not available, the proposition is plain and loud to use weapons and torch. If, however, voting is not to be controlled, in the long run, by intelligence, reason, argument, and discussion, then the civilized world has been building for a century upon faith in certain doctrines which are about to give way and to expose society to a terrible convulsion. All our inherited institutions of civil liberty face toward the executive, as if from that organ alone danger could come. The power has now been transferred to popular majorities, under the assumption that they would never abuse it to enrich themselves at the expense of producers, as monarchs and aristocracies have done. The new task is to devise institutions which shall protect civil liberty against popular majorities, since it appears that this assumption is not beyond question. That task lies next before us in the development of the art of government, and it appears that the great civilized nations will have to execute it before the end of this century, if they do not intend to give up all that has been won in five thousand years of history.

The first newspaper ever published on the island of Cyprus has just made its appearance. It is a weekly journal, printed half in English and half in Romaic, and bears the title "Cyprus."

I might be induced to publish it for you, and not charge too much for the space occupied. Suppose you write one letter of a column or so, and let me see what it is, and what its cost will be to either of us. I have not any actual need of correspondence, but if something comes along that is unusually rich, like the rooster that lays down the kernel of corn to pick up a roasted chestnut, Barkis might be willin.

Respectfully thine,

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE.

A Superfluous Newspaper.

WATERVILLE, Oct. 3.—The first copy of the Waterville Journal, a weekly, will be issued this afternoon. It is owned by P. L. Richardson and will be edited by F. H. Harcourt.

Dedication of a Good Templars Hall.

The Good Templars dedicated last evening their new and elegant hall in Merchants' block.

The Quickest Yet.

GARDINER, Oct. 3.—The Haley Ice Co. today loaded five hundred and eighty-nine tons and seven hundred and ten pounds of ice in nine hours and twenty-eight minutes with forty men, beating the Knickerbocker by about thirty tons and holding the championship.

Knox County Fair.

CAMDEN, Oct. 3.—The Knox agricultural and horticultural fair closed to-night after a most successful run of three days. The gross receipts will amount to about $1000, a large part of which is given away in premiums.

Androscoggin County Fair.

LEWISTON, Oct. 3.—Androscoggin fair and show closed to night. This afternoon the provision dealers, mounted and in uniform, went to the park, headed by Johnson's band. There was an exhibition of ladies' riding, pony trotting, and trial of speed of four year old colts and gentlemen's driving horses. The exhibition in the hall was large and attractive and the attendance was very large. It was the most successful show ever held in the county.

Oxford County Fair.

NORWAY, Oct. 3.—The Oxford county fair closed with the following race:

2.50 CLASS.

Chas. Crosby, Norway, b m Bell	1 1
Otis Howe, Rumford, b m Fanny Cole	2 2 2
H. M. Parker, Albany, s g Little Dick	4 4 4
A. J. Buck, Buckfield, blk m Topsy	3 3 3

Time 2.53, 2.53, 2.56

SWEEPSTAKES.

R. G. Knight, Cornish, b g Geo. B.	Drawn
G. A. Russell, Buckfield, blk g Copper Bottom	2 2 3
J. B. Woodbury, Portland, g g Fagan	4 3 3 2
John Haynes Saco, b g John Gilpin	2 1 1 1

Time 2.37, 2.39, 2.40, 2.42

STALLION RACE.

L. G. Perry, Hebron, c s Lone Star	3 2 2 2
G. M. Park, Canton, c s Rocket	0 1 1 1
Joe Tuft's b s Seth T.	4 4 4 3
E. M. Thayer, Paris, b s Hector	0 3 3 4

Time 2.57, 2.52, 2.45.

THE ST. GEORGE MURDER.

Some Strong Testimony Against Hart.

The Government Case About Closed.

ROCKLAND, Oct. 3.—In the Hart murder trial the forenoon was exclusively occupied in the continuation of expert testimony to show the identity of Hart's handwriting with that of the note found in the house, and of the anonymous Philadelphia and Providence letter. The latter purports to have been written by the murderer, who represents himself to be the human brute and gives details of the crime in the most brutal form, including rape and murder. It also contains threats against various persons and declares Hart to be wrongfully accused.

Warren F. Hart deposed to a conversation with Hart and wife a year and a half ago, in which it was said Hart had his face slapped and shirt bosom torn in fooling with Mrs. Meservey. The writer of the anonymous letter attributes a similar incident to himself. Hart also told witness shortly after the body was found that he had been home 60 or 70 nights and could remember where he was only on Monday, Dec. 24th.

The jailor having the prisoner in charge testified that his wife had free access to him till after the Providence letter was received. Hart did not like to be alone and kept a light burning nights. He said he would either return to St. George a free man or a corpse. He prayed at times and played cards at times.

A fellow prisoner in jail testified that one night a noise from Hart's cell awoke the inmates of the corridor, and he heard the words "Don't murder me." Hart afterwards told witness he was dreaming he murdered Mrs. Meservey, and threatened bodily harm if he told of it. This prisoner testified that he read the Providence letter to Hart from a newspaper, and Hart said "There was too much Hart in it to do him much good." Previously Hart said he wished another letter would come out. He thought it would clear him.

Joshua Smalley testified to speaking of a new fashion of murder in a store in Hart's presence shortly after the body was discovered, describing the taking turns round the neck with the "cloud," and knotting it sailor fashion, and next day Hart told witness he felt like sinking through the floor last night to think people suspected him. Witness had not then heard that Hart was suspected.

The jailor of the court house testified that since the trial began Hart had said he had been tortured enough, had been lied about and was innocent, and if submitted to more torture he would not go out of the cell till carried out.

Since yesterday, the county attorney being confined to his bed by illness, Attorney General Emery has managed the case for the State alone.

Defence will open tomorrow.

THE ROCKLAND MURDER.

Coroner's Inquest—Testimony of the Accused Woman.

ROCKLAND, Oct. 3.—Coroner Mallard held an inquest this afternoon on the body of Mrs. Honora Sullivan, supposed to have been murdered last night. An autopsy was made by Dr. Boynton, assisted by Dr. Wiggin, and the physicians testified that death was caused by a blow on the temple which fractured the skull.

Ellen Reardon, niece of the deceased, testified that she found deceased on the ground and Hannah Thorndike upon her, holding her down, a short distance from the Thorndike woman's house. She cried "police," and the Thorndike woman ran into her house. She saw no blows, but heard Mrs. Sullivan say "She has killed me." It was quite dark at the time.

Other witnesses testified to assisting to bring Mrs. Sullivan to her house, but no other testimony to any encounter between the two was given.

Hannah Thorndike, under arrest for the murder, testified that she met Mrs. Sullivan that afternoon, and parted at her door on friendly terms. Later Mrs. Sullivan came to witness' door and accused her of stealing her money. After some words deceased caught witness by the hair and tried to knock her down. Witness put her hands against her and shoved her off and she fell on the platform, and witness did not see her after. This was some time before lamplight.

Accused was remanded and the inquest adjourned till Monday to procure further testimony. The Thorndike woman has a very bad reputation and has frequently been before the police court. The deceased woman was of good repute and the mother of a respectable family.

METEOROLOGICAL.

INDICATIONS FOR THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

WAR DEP'T, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D.C., Oct. 4, (1 A. M.)

For New England

and Middle States, rising barometer, cooler followed by warmer southwest to north winds, foggy and partly cloudy weather.

Raid on Illicit Distillers.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct 3—Deputy U. S. Marshals Woodward and O'Donnell have returned from a successful raid on the illicit whiskey distillers of Sharp, Baxter and Izard counties. Ten prisoners were captured and brought to this city. One very large distillery with mash and whiskey was destroyed in Izard county and another in Baxter county. The raid was confined to the counties bordering on the Missouri river.

A Diabolical Crime.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Oct. 3—Alvah Haynes was arrested yesterday charged with ravishing his daughter, aged from 11 to 13 years. He is about 50 years old and has been a long time resident of Bennington, and both himself and family have formerly stood well in society. The crime was committed Sept 5 1878. An examination will take place to-morrow.

All the striking operatives of the Dolphin mill in Paterson, N. J., resumed work Wednesday upon a 10 per cent. reduction when working full time, and a 5 per cent. reduction when not working full time.

THE SOUTHERN PLAGUE.

Rapid Increase of the Fever Around New Orleans.

Cooler Weather Reported in Memphis.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—A New Orleans special to the Telegram contains the following:

Nearly 15,000 persons who have returned from the lake shore watering places are being prostrated as fast as they arrive. A perfect panic prevails In the opinion of well-informed observers, the influx has restored the epidemic to its former status. Over 500 have been prostrated in Carolton, and as many more in Gretna and Algiers. At Barnes's hotel, Mississippi city, those who died were buried uncoffined. Col. Jack Wharton, who is the authority for this statement, says: "Had we waited to send to New Orleans for coffins, we would have had to carry the dead out in buckets." Col. Carter, the special agent of the Interior Department, was buried there Wednesday. Italian refugees who, two months ago, in terror of the fever encamped at camp Parapet, are also returning, and many recently sickened. At the board of health this forenoon it was assumed that the fever is increasing and will increase so long as absentees forom any locality flock into the city.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 3.—Up to noon the number of deaths was 51: cases reported 111. Total cases 9913, deaths 3006. The weather is clear and pleasant.

From noon to 6 p. m. 15 deaths were reported and 187 cases, of which 110 date since the 30th.

HICKMAN, Oct. 3.—Six deaths and 10 cases since yesterday noon.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 3.—Last night was quite cool and indications of a light frost were seen this morning. From noon yesterday till noon today the undertakers report 45 deaths. Last night the police arrested H. L. Allen, a nurse from Galveston, on charge of having attempted to rape Mrs. J. W. McDonald who died last Thursday. The act was attempted while Mrs. McDonald was lying ill with the fever and hurried her death.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 3.—The board of health report 26 deaths from yellow fever for the 24 hours ending 6 o'clock tonight. In addition the undertakers report the interment of 7 outside.

BATON ROUGE, Oct. 3 —There were 10 deaths last night. There is a large increase of new cases. July weather prevails.

BILOXI, Oct. 3 —Twenty new cases are reported; no deaths.

THIBODAUX, Oct. 3.—Sixteen new cases; no deaths.

CAIRO, Oct. 3.—There have been 2 deaths at Hickman, Ky. No new cases.

POLITICAL.

The Texas Republican Convention.

AUSTIN, Oct 3 —The Texas Republican convention adjourned after nominating A. T. Norton for Governor, and Richard Allen for Lieutenant Governor, and the remainder of the state ticket.

Nebraska Republican Convention.

OMAHA, Oct. 3.—The Republican state convention completed its work last evening, and nominated for Governor Albinus Nance; Lieutenant Governor, Edward C. Carns; Associate Justice, Lafayette Cobb.

Congressional Nominations.

HARTFORD, Oct. 3.—The first congressional district convention today nominated General Joseph R. Hawley for Congress unanimously by acclamation, after an informal ballot, in which he had 72 votes, to 13 for Wm. H. Buckeley, and two scattering. The resolutions endorse the Republican state platform and nominees.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The Republicans of the twenty-eighth district of New York today nominated Hon. J. W. Dwight for Congress.

NIAGARA FALLS, Oct. 3.—Hon. Richard Crowley has been nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the thirty-first district of New York.

UTICA, Oct. 3.—Cyrus D Prescott of Rome has been nominated for Congress by the Republicans of Oneida district.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 3—The Greenbackers of the 15th district nominated J. A. Eriksen of Prattsville for Congress.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 3.—The Republicans of the fourth district have nominated Judge L. F. Frisby.

WASHINGTON.

The Timber Depredations in the South.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The report of special agents Adams and Hale of the Treasury, upon the timber frauds in Louisiana and the transactions of Jay Cooke & Co. therein, was submitted to the Secretary of the Interior Wednesday. Almost at the same hour he received notice of Carter's death from yellow fever. The report covers 123 pages, and is accompanied by 1200 pages of evidence. It is a complete vindication of Carter from every charge brought against him by the timber ring in the South and its various friends in Congress, and fully sustains the action taken by Secretary Schurz in his attempt to protect the government's timber.

The depredations are found to be far in excess of anything claimed by the Interior Department At the time the debate on this subject took place in Congress, some dealers were doing a business of $300.000 a year. Some mill owners had been cutting from the public lands 25 years. On one lake in one parish were 14 saw mills in full operation. Eleven of these mills had been running 10 years, and some 15 to 20 years. One officer of the United States court worked vigorously against the government The officers of the state courts gave all the annoyance possible. The government appraiser was active and even malignant in his work against the interests of the United States.

The report shows not only the extent of the depredations upon public lands, but clearly sets forth the kind of bitterness and opposition which the general government encounters in its attempts to enforce the United States laws in the South.

NEW YORK.

The Custom House Investigation.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Before the custom house investigating committee toda Appraiser Dutcher testified that he did not consider assistant appraiser Howard a competent man. Howard never told Dutcher he was not expected to do any work. Howard was appointed under instructions from Washington. The committee adjourned until December.

A Perdidous Counsellor.

In August, 1876, a suit by the United States against DeGrieff & Co to recover penalties for undervaluation of imported goods was pending. Invoices and other documents included to prove the case for the government suddenly and mysteriously disappeared and the case fell through in consequence. From information lately obtained District Attorney Fiero made attachment charging Anthony DeGrieff and Carl J. Tuica, composing the firm of DeGrieff & Co. and Hugh J. Bagley, associate counsel for the government, with conspiring to conceal and destroy the papers indicated above. It is alleged that Bagley in his capacity of counsel for the government obtained the papers and sold them to DeGrieff & Co., who destroyed them. On this affidavit a warrant was issued by Commissioner Shields and the parties were taken into custody today.

THE HALIFAX AWARD.

The Cause of Secretary Evarts' Delay.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—A Washington special says with regard to the delay in preparing and forwarding the despatches about the fishery awards, it is learned that in making up his case Secretary Evarts considered it essential to have additional and recent statistics as to the benefit of the fisheries to the United States, in order to bring forward convincing support of the declarations made. At the request of Mr Evarts, Secretary Sherman sent instructions to certain officers of the department to obtain information from the fishing fleet showing the catch of the present season. This consumed time, but the result constitutes a valuable part of the correspondence, which will reach London by October 10. Allowing 30 days for an answer, there will still be 13 days before the expiration of the time within which the award must be paid. Should no answer be sent by that time, the money will be paid.

THE INDIANS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—A Bismarck special says: A Teton buck has reported at Poplar River Indian agency that Sitting Bull had been badly and probably fatally wounded in a quarrel with some of his chiefs.

Lieutenant Kislingbury of Standing Rock, detailed to count the Indians at Poplar River for the information of Inspector Hammond, has failed, the Indians refusing to permit and asserting that the agent's count was correct.

Three inches of snow have fallen at Poplar River.

THE DOMINION.

Murdered and Robbed.

PORT HOPE, Ont. 3.—A farmer named Robert Stewart left here yesterday afternoon, for his home thirty miles distant. Late last night his dead body, very much bruised and with the skull broken was found on the road. His money was all gone. There is no trace of the murderer.

The Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise.

QUEBEC, Oct. 3.—The Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise sail for Canada November 14. The steamer Sarmatian has been chartered to convey the new Governor General and his Royal consort. The Sarmatian will be met at sea by the British North American squadron now in port and escorted to Halifax, where it is definitely arranged that the Marquis and the Princess will first set foot on American soil.

HANLON-COURTNEY.

The International Race at Lachine.

Hanlon Wins by Two Lengths.

LACHINE, P. Q., Oct 3.—A heavy thunder storm delayed the race, but the water subsequently became as smooth as glass, and at 4 58 p. m. both men took the water together. At two-thirds of a mile Hanlon was two lengths ahead; at the mile the men were even; at the mile and a half Hanlon was half a length ahead; at the two-mile buoy Hanlon was still half a length ahead; at the two and one-quarter miles buoy Courtney was even with Hanlon. Hanlon turned the two and one-half mile stake boat first by half a length. At the third mile the men were about even; at three and a half miles Hanlon was leading; at the four-mile buoy Hanlon was leading about a length; at four and a half miles Hanlon was leading by three lengths. Finally Hanlon won by two lengths. Unofficial time 35½ minutes.

EUROPE.

Failure of the Glasgow Bank.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The Times financial article says: The Glasgow Bank had 133 branches. It paid a progressively increasing dividend several years until it reached 12 per cent. It would be incorrect to say that the disaster was unexpected in banking circles. It created no surprise, for the bank had been losing credit gradually for ten years Rumors of the bank being in difficulties have been often circulated before.

The business of the Board was conducted for years upon very unsold principles, and from the fact of the other Scotch banks having decided to let the bank stop it is inferred that it is a very bad case.

The liabilities of the bank are estimated at $50,000,000; acceptances slightly below $15,000,000 and deposits $40,000,000. The unlimited liability of the shareholders may perhaps secure the depositors The authorized note circulation was only £72 000, but according to the last accounts the issue is between £600 000 and £700,000 against, for nearly all of which the law compels the bank to have gold.

The Financier anticipates no additional bank failures, but it says that some mercantile failures can hardly be avoided, which may extend into the iron districts of the North of England.

Attempted Escape of a Murderer Awaiting Extradition.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Peter Froman, a confessed murderer from Ball River, S. C., was before the Bow street police courts today. Extradition papers in the case were handed in to the foreign office Tuesday but had not reached the magistrate, and the prisoner was remanded till Wednesday next After his recommittal he escaped from his cell in Bow street and made his way to the roof of the building when his flight was observed, and the ushers, keepers and jailors of the court pursued and captured him after a desperate struggle.

The Hungarian Ministry.

The Manchester Guardians Vienna special confirms the report that the Emperor has accepted the resignation of Herr Von Izell, the Hungarian minister of finance. The other ministers will only withdraw their resignations upon the acceptance by the government of the following conditions: The issue of the joint Austro-Hungarian loan; the conclusion of the convention with the Porte; the reduction of the army in Bosnia, and the abandonment of the occupation of Novi Bazar. The latter condition has already been accepted. The second depends on the Porte. The Austrian cabinet oppose the joint loan which would reduce the Austrian credit to the same level with the Hungarian. Therefore a conflict between the two cabinets is imminent.

WEST INDIES.

Another Serious Hurricane in Hayti.

HAVANA, Oct. 3.—Jackmel was visited by another hurricane on the 25th ult. Two vessels and all the lighters in the harbor were lost. Many houses were destroyed.

A Negro Insurrection at Santa Cruz.

A telegram from Jamaica contains a rumor of a negro insurrection at Santa Cruz. Murders and other atrocities are reported. The negroes are said to have possession of the island.

MINOR TELEGRAMS.

Dean Stanley is in Richmond, Va.

Tae loss of the Austrians in the Bosnian campaign was 4000.

Subscriptions to the 4 per cent. loan yesterday were $190,550.

Lewis Carter of Concord, N. H., is dying of hydrophobia.

Harvey's wool warehouse at Hamilton, Ontario, has been burned. Loss $50,000.

At 10 o'clock yesterday Hughes had made 242 miles, and O'Leary 270.

The Gregory House at Lake Mahopac was destroyed by fire Tuesday. Loss $100,000.

Seven prisoners escaped from the Camden, N. J., jail yesterday.

Gov. McCrary of Kentucky has respited Henry Crosmes, under sentence of death for murder, until full.

Jesse Smith, aged about 70, was killed yesterday by a Worcester freight train on a branch railroad in Pawtucket.

W. W. Browbam of New Haven, who is alleged to have thrown his brother overboard, is under arrest.

The entire business portion of Palestine, Texas, is reported to have been burned. Loss $15,000.

It is stated that Solicitor Raynor proposes to sue all newspapers which have criticised his decisions, for libel and slander.

The arrivals of passengers at New York from Europe in September numbered 9000, on whose passage $42,000 duty was collected, being the largest amount ever gathered.

Professor Howard of New York will join the other members of the yellow fever committee Saturday in New Orleans, and will begin an immediate examination as to the causes of the fever.

Norwegian ship Reier encountered a hurricane Sept. 11 and 12 near Hatteras, and was abandoned in a sinking condition. The crew were taken off by a passing vessel.

Two students of Amherst College, a Senior and Sophomore, have been suspended indefinitely for engaging in a mock duel in which a Freshman was the victim.

The Secretary of War has again refused to furnish rations to the yellow fever sufferers in New Orleans on the ground that the Howard Association has a large fund and the discretion to use it in any proper way.

While A. C. Bunman, the Greenback candidate for Congress, was addressing a meeting at Burlington, Iowa, Wednesday evening, Thomas Roper, the chief of police, was assassinated, and another man seriously injured. No cause is assigned.

The schooner yacht Okoteesta, from Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 15. 1877 by way of the Mississippi river and Gulf of Mexico, arrived at New York Wednesday. The yacht will leave in a few days for home by the Hudson river to Troy, thence by canal to Buffalo and Lake Erie to Cleveland.

Minister Noyes entertained General Grant at dinner yesterday. Among the guests were Mrs. Grant, John Welsh, minister to England, John A. Kasson, minister to Austria, J. Meredith Read, charge d'affaires to Greece, General Hazen, General Fairchilds, ex-Governor Smith of New Hampshire, and Miss Waite, daughter of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Portland Wholesale Market.

THURSDAY, October 3.—There is but little movement to note in merchandise to-day. Sugars are quoted at 9⅛c for granulated and 8¾c for Extra C. Flour continues dull with but little demand and very small sales. Corn is steady at 55 @ 56c for car lots and 57c for bag lots. Pork and Lard are dull and unchanged.

Clearing House Transactions.

PORTLAND, October 3.

The Clearing House of the Portland Banks report the transaction of business as follows to-day:

Gross Exchanges	$108,575 24
Net Balances	18,328 13

Foreign Exports.

KEMPT, NS Schr Bonetta—6 bbls meal, 11 do flour, 179 galls oil.

GOOSE CREEK, NB. Schr Candora Day—18 bbls pork, 1 lot junk.

Foreign Imports.

BEAR RIVER, N3. Schr Volant—46 cords wood, 2 boxes eggs to A D Whidden.

Daily Domestic Receipts.

By water conveyance—1000 bush corn meal to G W True & Co.

Boston Stock Market.

[Sales of the Broker's Board, Oct. 3]

First Call.

10 Boston and Maine Railroad	108⅞
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth R. R.	—@ 87
Eastern Railroad	—@ 14¼
Boston & Maine Railroad 78	—@ 116

Second Call.

$29,000 Eastern Railroad 3¾s	69¾
100 Eastern Railroad	14¼

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, October 3—Evening.—Money is active at 3 @ 4 per cent. on call. Sterling Exchange quiet and unchanged—480¼ @ 480½ for long and 484½ @ 484¾ for short sight.

Gold at 100⅜ throughout, closing weak: loans 1 @ 2 per cent. and flat. The clearings were $11,420,000. The customs receipts to-day were $416,000. Treasury disbursements $130,000 for interest and $187,000 for bonds. Governments closed weak. State bonds quiet. Railroad mortgages quiet.

The stock market was irregular during the afternoon, and towards the close became heavy with a decline in prices to about the lowest figure of the day. Earnings of the St. Paul Company for September, 1878, were $677,400, against $1,178,999 in 1877; this year's decrease $501,599. The earnings during 1876 were $645,831.

The transactions at the Stock Exchange to-day aggregated 137,000 shares, including 276,000 shares Northwestern common, 16,600 shares do preferred, 1,040 shares St Paul common, 7750 do preferred, 29,900 shares Lake Shore, 10,000 shares Lackawanna, 1,530 shares Union Pacific, 3200 shares Wabash, 13,000 shares Western Union, 4600 shares Erie, 1200 shares Pacific Mail, 4900 shares Michigan Central, 1,700 Kansas Pacific.

The following were the closing quotations of Government securities:

United States 6s, 1881 reg.	107¾
United States 6s, 4881, coup.	107¾
United States 5-20s, 1865, new, reg.	102¾
United States 5-20s, 1865, coup.	102¾
United States 1867, reg.	105¾
United States 1867, coup.	105¾
United States 1868, reg.	107
United States 1868, coup.	107¼
United States 10-40s, reg.	106¾
United States 10-40s, coup.	106
United States new 5's, reg.	105¾
United States new 5's, coup.	105¾
United States new 4½'s, reg.	103¼
United States new 4½'s, coup.	103¼
United States 4 per cents, reg.	99¾
United States 4 per cents, coup.	99¾
Pacific 6s 95s	119½

The following were the closing quotations of Stocks:

Morris & Essex	83½
Western Union Telegraph Co.	95½
Pacific Mail	17½
New York Central & Hudson R R.	113¼
Erie	13
Erie preferred	27
Michigan Central	70½
Panama	121
Union Pacific Stock	66⅝
Lake Shore	68⅝
Illinois Central	89½
Pittsburg R.	83¼
Chicago & Northwestern	39½
Chicago & Northwestern preferred	70½
New Jersey Central	35
Rock Island	114½
St Paul	31½
St Paul preferred	66½
Fort Wayne	98½
Chicago & Alton	83½
Chicago & Alton preferred	102
Ohio & Mississippi	7½
Delaware & Lackawanna	54½
Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph	27½

The following were the closing quotations of Pacific Railroad securities:

Boston, Hartford & Erie 1st	28
Guaranteed	28
Central Pacific Bonds	106½
Union Pacific	106⅝
Land Grants	105
Sinking Funds	100
Bar silver, currency	112¾
Bar silver, gold	112¾
Do Coin	¼@¼ discount

California Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 3 —The following are the closing official prices of mining stocks to-day:

Alpha	19	Kentuck	9½
Belcher	10½	Leopard	1½
Best & Belcher	32½	Mexican	67
Bullion	16	Northern Belle	10½
Consolidated Va	15	Overman	20½
California	1½	Ophir	55
Chollar	69	Raymond & Ely	6½
Confidence	13	Silver Hill	3½
Caledonia	6	Savage	20
Crown Point	11	Beg Belcher	40½
Exchequer	9½	Sierra Nevada	221
Gould & Curry	20	Union con	163
Hale & Norcross	23	Yellow Jacket	26½
Imperial	—	Eureka con	45
Justis consol'id'td	6½	Grand Prize	5½
Justice	10½	Alta	16

Chicago Cattle Market.

CHICAGO, October 3.—Hogs—receipts 16,000 head; shipments 5000 head; prices lower: Philadelphia's at 3 80 @ 4 00; good shipping 3 60 @ 3 70.

Cattle—receipts 5,00 head; shipments 2100 head; market steady; shipping Steers 4 00 @ 4 80; Western Cattle 2 60 @ 3 70; Texas at 2 30 @ 3 00.

Sheep—receipts 1660 head; shipments 190 head; prices lower at 3 25 @ 4 00.

Domestic Markets.

NEW YORK, October 3—Evening.—**Cotton** dull and 1-16c lower; sales 616 bales; Middling uplands at 10 9-16c; New Orleans at 10 11-16c: forward deliveries active and 3 @ 5 points lower. **Flour**—receipts 19,211 bbls: still in buyers favor with a moderate demand for export and home use; sales 18,600 bbls; No 2 2 50 @ 3 25; Superfine Western and State 3 50 @ 3 90; extra Western and State 3 90 @ 4 25; choice Western and State at 4 30 @ 4 85: White Wheat Western extra at 4 90 @ 5 75; Fancy White Wheat Western extra at 5 80 @ 7 00; common to good extra Ohio at 4 10 @ 5 50; common to choice extra St Louis at 4 00 @ 6 65; Patent Minnesota extra good to prime at 6 25 @ 7 25; choice to double extra 7 25 @ 8 25, including 3100 bbls City Mills extra at 4 00 for England; 5 00 @ 5 15 for West Indies: 2300 bbls low grade extra at 3 90 @ 4 10; 4700 bbls Winter Wheat extra at 4 00 @ 5 60; 5600 bbls Minnesota extra at 4 00 @ 8 25, the market closing heavy. Southern flour is dull and heavy; sales 1100 bbls, including 600 for export; extra 4 00 @ 5 40; choice 5 45 @ 6 25. **Rye Flour** is unchanged at 2 70 @ 3 35. **Cornmeal** dull: Yellow at 2 35 @ 2 75; Brandywine 2 90 @ 2 95. **Wheat**—receipts 329,759 bushels; ¼ @ 1 lower with a moderate export and fair speculative trade; sales 959,000 bush, including 526,000 bush on spot and special delivery; 81c for ungraded Spring; 87 @ 90c for No 3 Spring; 98c for No 2 do; 1 00 @ 1 05 for ungraded Winter Red; 98c @ 1 00 for No 3 do; 1 05 @ 1 05½ for No 2 do; 1 05½ @ 1 06 for No 1 do; 1 03 @ 1 04 for steamer No 2 do; 98c @ 1 06 for ungraded Amber; 1 02 @ 1 03 for No 2 do; 1 00 @ 1 01 steamer do; 1 02 @ 1 10 for ungraded White; 1 04 @ 1 04½ for No 3 do; 1 06 for No 2 do; 1 07½ @ 1 08½ for No 1 do; 1 08 @ 1 10 for extra do; 1 09 @ 1 10 for White State; 1 07 for steamer No 1 White; 191,000 bush No 1 White for October at 1 07 @ 1 08; No 2 Spring for October at 96c bid, 98c asked; do November at 94c bid, 1 01 asked; No 2 Amber for October, 52,000 bush at 1 02½ @ 1 03, closing at 1 02 bid, 1 04 asked; do for November, 24 000 at 1 03 @ 1 03½, closing at 1 01 bid, 1 05 asked; No 2 Winter Red for October, 9600 bush at 1 04½ @ 1 05½, closing at 1 04½ bid, 1 05 asked; do November, 12,000 bush at 1 05½ @ 1 05½, closing at 1 05½ bid, 1 05¾ asked; do for December, 56,000 bush at 1 06½ @ 1 07, closing 1 06½ bid, 1 07 asked. **Rye** quiet and unchanged. **Barley** scarce and very firm. **Barley Malt** is quiet and steady. **Oats**—receipts 167,230 bush; a shade firmer, closing with scarcely so much strength; sales 35,000 bush, including 142,000 bush on spot; 47½ @ 49½c for ungraded; 49½ @ 48½c for No 2; 52c for ungraded White; steamer for October 47½ @ 48c, closing at 47½c bid, 48c asked; do for November 48½c, closing at 47½c bid, 48½c asked; No 2 for October 48 @ 48½c, closing 48c bid, 48½c asked; do November at 48½ @ 48½c closing 48½c bid, 49c asked. **Oats**—receipts 40,892 bush; market without decided change and quiet; sales 58,000 bush; rejected 29½c; No 3 at 26½ @ 26½c; No 3 White at 27½ @ 27½c; No 2 at 29c; No 2 White at 29 @ 29½c; No 1 at 31½c; Mixed Western at 26½ @ 32c; White Western at 27 @ 35c; Mixed State at 27 @ 31½c; White State at 29 @ 35½c. **Coffee** unchanged and quiet. **Sugar** is quiet and scarcely so firm; 670 hhds Cienfuegos at 8 1-16 @ 8¼; 500 hhds French Island 7¾; fair to good refining 7¼ @ 7¾c; prime at 7¾c; refined steady with moderate demand. **Molasses** unchanged. **Rice** steady. **Petroleum** steady; 10,000 bbls at 8¼ @ 8¾; crude at 5¾; refined at 9¾. **Tallow** dull and heavy at 7. **Naval Stores**—**Rosin** is steady. **Turpentine** firm at 28. **Pork** dull and in buyers favor; 270 bbls mess on spot at 8 75 @ 9 25, latter fancy; 100 bbls city family mess at 12. **Beef** is unchanged. **Cut Meats** steady; pickled bellies 6; do hams at 9¼ @ 9½; do shoulders at 5¾; middles are dull; Western long clear 6; city do 6¼ @ 6¾; short clear 6¾; long and short clear half and half 6 5-16 @ 6¼. **Lard** slightly in buyers favor; 1,000 tcs prime steam on spot at 6 67½ @ 6 77½; 250 tcs for October at 6 65; 1 000 tcs for November at 6 62½; 100 tcs city steam at 6 60. **Butter** dull and lower at 6 @ 22c. Cheese steady. **Whiskey** very scarce and nominally at 1 12 @ 1 13.

Freights to Liverpool—market quiet; Wheat per steam 6¼.

CHICAGO, October 3.—Flour is quiet and unchanged. Wheat is active and lower; No 2 Chicago Spring at 83 @ 83½c cash; 83c bid for October; 84c bid for November; No 3 Chicago Spring at 69½ @ 72½c; rejected at 57½ @ 58c; No 2 Red Winter 87c bid. Corn is unsettled and generally higher; No 2 and High Mixed at 33½c cash; 33½c bid October; 34½c bid for November; rejected 32½ @ 33c. Oats in fair demand and lower; No 2 at 18½ @ 18½c for cash; 18½c bid for October; 19½c for November; rejected 17c. Rye is steady; No 2 at 44c cash; 45½ @ 46c for November. Barley quiet at 1 07 @ 1 07½ for October; 1 10 for November. Pork is in fair demand and lower at 7 75 @ 7 80 for cash; 7 70 @ 7 72½ for October; 8 0½ @ 1 05 for November. Lard in fair and lower at 6 20 @ 6 25 cash; 6 20 @ 6 22½ for October and November. Bulk meats—shoulders 4½ short clear at 5 00 @ 5 05; short ribs at 5 30 @ 5 35. Whiskey is steady at 1 07.

Freights—Corn to Buffalo at 4.

Receipts—8,000 bbls flour, 149,000 bush wheat, 238,000 bush corn, 72,000 bush oats, 10,000 bush rye, 64,000 bush barley.

Shipments—7,000 bbls flour, 80,000 bush wheat, 400,000 bush corn, 42,000 bush oats, 490 bush rye, 70,000 bush barley.

At the afternoon call of the board the market closed with Wheat at 83½c seller for October; 84½c for November. Corn 33¾ @ 34c for October; 34½c bid for November. Oats at 18½c seller October; 19½c for November. Pork at 7 70 @ 7 72½ for October; 7 82½ seller for November. Lard at 6 15 @ 6 20 for October; 6 20 bid Nov.

ST LOUIS, October 3.—Flour is dull and unchanged. Wheat lower; No 2 Red Fall at 85½ @ 85¾c for cash; 85 @ 86c seller October; 86½ @ 86¾c seller November; No 3 Red Fall 81½ @ 82c. Corn is lower at 32½ @ 32¾c for cash. 32½c seller October; 33½c for November. Oats are lower at 19½c cash; 19½c for October. Rye is lower at 42c nominal. Barley unchanged. Whiskey quieter 1 07. Pork lower at 8 05. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 4½; c ar rib 5¼; clear sides at 5¼. Bacon easier at 5¾, 6 and 6¼ @ 6¾ for shoulders, clear rib and clear sides. Lard dull and nominal.

Receipts—4,000 bbls flour, 74,000 bush wheat, 7,000 bush corn, 13,000 bush oats, 2,000 bush rye, 11,000 bush barley.

Shipments—7,000 bbls flour, 24,000 bush wheat, 4,000 bush corn, 1,000 bush oats, 1,000 bush rye, 1,000 bush barley.

TOLEDO, October 3.—Wheat opened dull and lower, closing quiet and firm; No 3 White Wabash at 93c; No 1 White Michigan at 94c; extra White Michigan 97c; Amber Michigan on spot at 92½c; seller October at 92c; seller November 93c; No 2 Amber Michigan at 90c; No 2 Red Winter on spot and seller October at 92½c bid; seller November 93c; No 3 Red at 89½c; No 2 Dayton and Michigan Red at 91½c; rejected Wabash 85c; No 1 Western Amber 93c. Corn dull; High Mixed at 38c: No 2 at 37½c; rejected 36½c. Oats dull; No 2 at 20c; rejected 19½c.

Freights—Wheat to Buffalo firm.

Receipts—000 bbls flour, 75,000 bush wheat, 16,000 bush corn, 4,000 bush oats.

Shipments—0,000 bbls flour, 153,000 bush Wheat, 12,000 bush corn, 5,000 bush oats.

The market closed with Wheat very dull; extra White Michigan at 97c; Amber Michigan seller for November at 93½c. Corn—No 2 White 34½c.

MILWAUKEE, October 3.—Flour is dull and unchange. Wheat firm at opening and ½c lower, closing firm; No 1 Milwaukee hard at 1 04½; No 2 Milwaukee soft at 84½c; seller October at 84½c; seller November 86½c; No 3 Milwaukee at 70c bid; No 4 Milwaukee at 59 @ 60c; rejected at 50c. Corn dull and nominal; No 2 at 33½c Oats are dull and lower; No 2 at 18c. Rye steady; No 1 at 44c Barley unsettled and lower; No 2 Spring cash and October at 1 04½; No 3 Spring at 64 @ 64½. Provisions are quiet and easy; Mess Pork at 8 00 cash and October. Lard—prime steam at 6¾.

Freights—Wheat to Buffalo at 4.

Receipts—5,000 bbls flour, 91,000 bush wheat.

Shipments—12,000 bbls flour, 16,000 bush wheat.

CINCINNATI, October 3.—Pork quiet; jobbing 8 75 @ 9 00. Lard is dull and shade lower; current make at 6¾; kettle at 7½

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May be obtained at the Periodical Depots of Fessenden Bros., Marquis, Brunel & Co., Andrews, Wentworth, Moses, N. B. Kendrick, and Chisholm Bros., on all trains that run out of the city.
At Saco, of L. Hodgdon and H. B. Kendrick.
At Bath, of J. O. Shaw.
At Lewiston, of Stevens & Co.

CITY AND VICINITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TO-DAY

ENTERTAINMENT COLUMN.
Grand Entertainment—Mr. Edward Doherty.
Bosworth Post—City Hall.
MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.
H. I. Nelson—2.
NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
Spencerian Steel Pens.
To the Tax Payers of Deering.
Mrs. Merrill wil be pleased.
New Dry Goods Store—L. D. Strout.
Notice—C. F. Plummer.
Confectionery—Johnson & Redlon.
Notice is Hereby Given.
Grand Opening—Charles Custis & Co.
AUCTION COLUMN.
Pledged Railroad Bonds—F. O. Bailey & Co.

SEE our ladies' colored hosiery at 12 cts., 20 cts. and 25 cts. H. I. NELSON & Co.,
443 Congress street, Farrington Block.
oct4 2t

F. O. BAILEY & Co. will sell at 10 a. m. today the entire furniture, carpets, &c., in house 30 Free street. See notice in auction column.

COME and see our two button kid gloves for 90 cts. H. I. NELSON & Co.,
443 Congress street, Farrington Block.
oct4 2t

REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES.

Stop spending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style. Buy good, healthy food, cheaper and better clothing; get more real and substantial things of life every way, and especially stop the foolish habit of running after expensive and quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug medicine that does you only harm, and makes the proprietors rich, but put your trust in the greatest of all simple, pure remedies, Hop Bitters, that cures always at a trifling cost, and you will see better times and good health. Try it once. Read of it in another column. se30d&w1w

BEAUTIFUL hand made worsted goods. Sea Foams, 25 cts; Infant's Sacques, 75 cts; Children's Hoods, $1.50 and $2.00 each; Children's Dresses, $3.00: at H. I. Nelson & Co.'s, 443 Congress street, Farrington Block. oct3 3t

FLOUR is sold lower at L. A. Bachelder's, No. 10 Market street, than any place in town. He keeps all grades, Haxall and St. Louis. oct3 3t

AT our opening today we shall show an elegant line of cloakings. EASTMAN BROS,
oct2 4f 534 Congress St.

IF the ladies want to see beautiful worsted patterns just look into Carlton Kimball's show window, 495 Congress street. oct3 2t

CLOAKS, ulsters and circulars for ladies and misses, cut and fitted or made to order.
oct2 1f EASTMAN BROS.

A GOOD ACCOUNT.

"TO SUM it up, six long years of bed-ridden sickness and suffering, costing $200 per year, total $1,200—all of which was stopped by three bottles of Hop Bitters, taken by my wife, who has done her own housework for a year since without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it for their benefit."
se30d1w JOHN WEEKS, Butler, N. Y."

Municipal Court.

JUDGE KNIGHT PRESIDING.

THURSDAY.—Ross McGuire. Common drunkard. Thirty days. Committed.

John Lally. Intoxication. Fined $3 with costs.

Timothy McGlinn. Intoxication. Fined $3 with costs. Committed.

Michael O'Toole. Intoxication. Fined $3 with costs. Paid.

Brief Jottings.

Lamson took a fine picture of the jury in the Prescott murder trial last week.

A squash weighing 94 pounds is to be seen in the Boston & Maine depot.

It appears that little or no damage was done to Doten's mill by the near approach to the catastrophe reported yesterday. The engineer was a competent man.

Mr. Samuel Libby of Gorham, is in a very precarious condition, says the Cumberland Globe, from dry mortification, which began in his toe, which was amputated without arresting the progress of the disease.

Ma. Irvin J. Brown, who was injured Monday night, was able to be in town yesterday. It seems that the accident occurred while running after a train, not while jumping from a freight train.

There was a gun drill on board the United States ship Plymouth yesterday afternoon. The sailors went through manœuvres similar to those when taking a fort. The drill took place on the ship and on the marine railway wharf.

PORTLAND YACHT CLUB.—The Portland Yacht Club has issued its club book for 1878. It is a handsomely gotten up book of 52 pages. The cover is embellished with the seal of the club, the letters P. Y. C. formed by a coil of rope and surrounded by the name "Portland Yacht Club, organized April 26, 1869, incorporated February 19th, 1878." The chapters are devoted to the list of officers, the constitution, by-laws, regatta and sailing regulations, rules governing challenge cups and courses for races, uniform and dress, tables of allowances, list of yachts and members, and acts relating to yachting. There are 143 active and 12 honorary members. There are the following yachts, in which list there have been many changes since it was published in the PRESS:

SCHOONERS.

Banshee, Walter Woodman, Portland.
Commodore, C. H. McLellan, Bath, 12 47 tons.
Idlewild, A. Lennox, Wiscasset, 17.05 tons.
Laurel, C. W. Goddard, Portland, 4 tons.
Lizzie T. Davis, E. W. Conley, Portland, 12.24 tons.
Lotus, J. L. Chamberlain, Brunswick, 17 tons.
Minnie, R. H. Waite, Portland, 11 tons.
Nellie, J. E. Bradford, same.
Rambler, C. O. Frost, same.
Ray, E. E. Preble, same, 19.85 tons.
Sparkle, Maurice Goddard, same, 11.73 tons.
Undine, E. H. Chase, same.
Vif, C. M. Thomas, same, 14.54 tons.
Whisper, A. G. Fuller, same, 2 tons.

SLOOPS.

Alarm, A. M. Smith, Portland, 13 58 tons.
Casco, J. S. Soule, Freeport.
Edda, W. E. Carter, Portland, 3 05 tons.
Georgie, G. Burnham, Jr., Cumberland.
Gracie, W. Senter, Jr., Portland, 3 tons.
Gussie, E. L. Soule, Freeport, 5 tons.
Idler, G. C. Owen, Portland.
Mary, H. E. Bacon, same.
Mischief, C. W. Buck, same.
Mist, E. T. Merrill, same.
Novelty, A. R. Cobb, same.
Princess, J. P. Thomas, same, 19 05 tons.
Sprite, W. H. Staples, same, 1.97 tons.
Swan, L. C. Cummings, same.
Tempus, W. W. Goold, same, 6 tons.
Twilight, W. A. Charlton, same, 7 98 tons.
Viva, A. K. Paul, same, 22.49 tons.
Vole, A. H. Waite, same.
Willie, C. Stanwood, Jr., same, 7 tons.

STEAMERS.

Fiona, C. A. Sparrow, Portland.
Maggie, C. W. Bray, same, 4 52 tons.

Aid for the South.

The following additional subscriptions have been received in this city:

By Swan and Barrett:

John J. Bodge, South Windham	$ 2 00
Harpswell Centre Congregational Sewing Circle by Miss Eaton	15 00
Proceeds of concert at Gorham by Mr. and Mrs J. P. Hayes	8 78
Miss Lampson, Gorham	5 00
Mrs. Tyler, Gorham	2 00
Cash, Gorham	2 00
Therdon Shackford, Gorham	1 00
G. L. Stanwood, Gorham	2 50
Mrs. R. Johnson, Gorham	1 00
Wm. Warren, Gorham	3 00
Total	$ 43 18
Previously reported	4,031 96
Grand total	$4,075 14

NEW MUSIC.—Oliver Ditson & Co. send us half a dozen bright pieces of music that are seasonable and good to hear. In vocal music there are, "Dew-drops and Roses," by Cooper and Pratt. There is also, "Faithful Love," always a fine thing to receive; and also, a real good, jolly Irish temperance song, entitled, "Because I lift off Drinking Whiskey." For piano there comes the "Crystal Waltz," by H. C. Wilson; "Carnation," one of a set of easy pieces by Lichner; and a pretty and bright 4-hand piece called the "Cuckoo Polka."

ED. DOUGHERTY'S BENEFIT.—The friends of Mr. Ed. Dougherty are arranging to give him a complimentary benefit next Monday evening. A number of well known variety artists have volunteered their services on this occasion and the bill provides for an evening of fun. Mr. Dougherty is not only a good song and dance artist, but personally he is a good fellow and deserves success if anyone does.

Personal.

Warden Rice was in town yesterday on business.

The County Fair.

Yesterday, the second day of the forty-third annual exhibition of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society, which is held this year in connection with the Baldwin and Standish Farmers's Club, was very pleasant, though quite warm. The attendance was much larger than on the preceding day, there being some 2500 people upon the ground during the day.

As to the exhibition, if it was to be judged in comparison with the number of refreshment and hawking stands and side shows generally that surround it, it would be taken to be a big show, while in fact it is comparatively small, though what there is of it is very good, particularly the cattle show; but, evidently, as much or more attention is bestowed on the outside shows as on the exhibition itself.

We notice among the articles on exhibition, of which mention has not already been made, a number of very nice agricultural implements entered by Kendall & Whitney of this city, and in the building quite a number of pieces of excellent woolen goods, entered by different parties.

The trial of oxen for draft was the main feature of the forenoon. The committee who acted as judges upon the occasion was composed of Messrs. C. C. Johnson of Harrison, Jonas Raymond of Westbrook, and Andrew Libby of Casco.

The first test was for best exhibition of strength by one yoke of oxen under 7 feet girth. The weight of the load of stone upon the drag was some 5000 pounds. The first to try was a yoke 6 years old, entered by Nelson Newcomb of Gorham, which yoke upon being attached to the load walked off with it a distance of some 36 feet. The first premium of $7 was awarded to the owner of this yoke.

A yoke entered by Jno. Flint of Baldwin was then attached to it and this yoke after tugging at it awhile, failing to move it much gave it up, but received the second money $5.

The next and last test was for the same with the exception that the koke should girth over 7 feet. The weight of the load was increased a thousand pounds by the addition of another stone. The first hitch-on was a yoke 6 years old entered by Eli Stone of Windham, and they after some tugging pulled over considerable ground, their final pull being 37 feet. Then followed a yoke of 5 year olds entered by Chas. Hall of Windham, and they went over more ground but not so far at any one pull, their final and best pull being about 24 feet. The first money, $7, was awarded to the latter, and the second of $5 to the former.

While this exhibition was taking place the rifle shooting was going on at the state Rifle Range near the grounds.

The shooting at a range of a thousand yards was open to general competitors, and several good shootists contested. The first prize of $10 was won by Mr. Gilbert L. Bailey of Portland, and the second of $5 by Hon. Enoch C. Farrington of Fryeburg.

The range of 200 yards opened to militia teams of Maine, ten men to each team, 25 shots and a possible score of 250 to each team. The following is the result showing the teams contesting:

Capitol Guards (Augusta)	142
Portland Mechani Blues	139
Auburn Light Infantry	137
Biddeford Light Infantry	102

First prize, $10 to the "Guards," second $5 to the "Blues." The best single score was made by private W. H. Lamson of the Auburn company, which was 21 out of a possible 25.

The main event of the afternoon was the ploughing match, the result of which will be found among the premiums.

While the horse and team of Tobias Lord, Jr. of Standish, was standing near by the grounds today, the horse ran away, doing considerable damage.

The annual address of the society, which was to have been delivered in the evening by Mr. Ernest Th. Gennert of this city, was postponed, to be delivered at some future time, the time and place to be duly announced.

The evening train down was some three hours late at this station, causing considerable patience on the part of the large number of waiting passengers. The cause of the delay was mainly due to a large and heavy excursion at the upper end of the road.

People wishing to stop at East Baldwin need have no fear of finding good hotel accommodations, for they can find such at the excellent hotel here kept by Gardiner R Norton.

The following is the official list of premiums as far as awarded and not already reported:

TOWN TEAMS.

1st prem, $9, town of Baldwin; 2d do, $6, town of Sebago.

STEERS—(pairs.)

3 year old class—1st prem, $3, Nath. Wiggin, Baldwin; 2d do, J H Hutchins, Sebago.
2 year old class—1st prem, $3 Nath. Wiggin, Baldwin; 2d do $2. J Wiggin & Son, Baldwin.
1 year old class—1st prem, $2, Chas Hunnewell, So. Windham; 2d do, J Wiggin & Son, Baldwin
Under 1 year old class—Chas Hunnewell, So. Windham.

COWS, HEIFERS AND CALVES.

Best Jersey cow, 1st prem, $4, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $3, same.
Best Devon cow, 1st prem, I R Wiggin, West Baldwin; 2d do, $3, same.
Best milch cow, 1st prem, $3. D W Fox, Baldwin.
Best stock cow, (with calf) 1st prem, $4, Nath. Wiggin, Baldwin; 2d do, $3, E Hunnewell, So, Windham.
2 year old heifer, 1st prem, $2, Nath. Wiggin, Baldwin; 2d do, C P Mattocks, E. Baldwin.
1 year old heifer, 1st prem, $1, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, same.

SHEEP AND SWINE.

Sows (for breeding)—2d premium, $2, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin.
Litter of pigs—1st premium, $3, State Reform School.
Boars—1st premium, $3, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $2, same.
Bucks—1st premium, $4, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin.
Ewes—1st premium, $5, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $3, same.

MARES AND COLTS.

Breeding mares (with foal)—1st premium, $5, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $3, same.
Five year old class—1st premium. $7. Arthur Dyer, Sebago; 2d do, $5, R A Burnell, Baldwin.
Four year old class (colts)—1st premium, $6, Arthur Dyer, Sebago; 2d do, $4, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin.
Two year old class—1st premium, $4. J L Dike, Sebago; 2d do $2, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin.
One year old class—1st premium, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin.

HORSES.

Draught (matched best)-1st premium, $5, Ervin Libby, Standish; 2d do, $2. D I Libby, Standish.
Best Matched—1st premium, $5, R F Chase, Baldwin; 2d do, $3. A F Winslow, Falmouth.

FOWLS.

Brahma turkeys—1st premium, $2. C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $1, same.
Bronze turkeys—1st premium, $2, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $1, same.
Ducks—1st premium, $2, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $1, same.

PLOWS AND PLOWING.

1st premium, $4, D I Libby Standish, with the Frye plow and four horses; 2d do, $3, E & C Hunnewell, South Windham, with the Cameron plow and four oxen; 3d do, $2, Ervin Libby, Standish, with Cameron plow and four horses.

FARM STOCK.

1st premium, $8, C P Mattocks, East Baldwin; 2d do, $5, Nathaniel Wiggin, Baldwin.

MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURES.

Davis vertical thread sewing machine, diploma, G F Jordan, North Windham.
Cooley's Creamery, prem $2, Alfred Libby, North Gorham.
2 wax wreaths, prem $2, Mrs S L Burnell, Baldwin
Wax basket, diploma, Mrs G M Smith, Cape Elizabeth Ferry.
1 fancy cane, diploma, Lorenzo Gammon, Baldwin.

HOUSEHOLD MANUFACTURES.

Best braided rug, prem $1, Mrs E H Libby, North Gorham.
Best drawn rug, prem $1, Mrs M R Coolbroth, Steep Falls; diploma, Mrs G R Winslow, Casco.
Cotton and wool blankets, prem $2, Mrs S O Paine, Standish.
Hand made blanket, prem $1, Nancy E Batchelder, East Sebago; do Mrs J H Batchelder, East Sebago.
Domestic flannel, diploma, Clara S Dike, Sebago; do Mrs A J Ward, East Sebago.
Linen thread, prem $1, Mrs A J Ward, East Sebago.
Woolen yarn, (12 skeins) prem $1, Mrs S O Paine, Standish.
Woolen hose, diploma, Mrs S O Paine, Standish.
Woolen cloth, 1st prem, $2, Mrs J W Knight, Standish; 2d do, $1. Mrs R A Burnell, Baldwin.
Cotton and wool twilled flannel, prem $1, Mrs J W Knight, Standish.
Knit quilt, prem $2, Mrs R A Burnell, Baldwin.
Best B. S. quilting, prem $1, Mrs L N Mabry, Baldwin.
Best patchwork quilt, (made by a girl 11 years old) prem $1, Miss Hattie Dolloff, Standish.
Diploma, Mrs A J Ward, East Sebago.
Best machine made quilt, diploma, Miss Mary E Knight, Standish.

WORSTED AND FANCY ARTICLES.

1 piece fancy worsted needle work, diploma, Miss S L Burnell, West Baldwin.
2 pieces fancy needle work, diploma, Mrs J W Knight, Standish.
1 card case, diploma, Miss H O Ward, East Sebago.
1 piece worsted work, "Lord's Prayer," prem ——, Mrs A B Osgood, East Baldwin.

WORKING OXEN—(4 in number.)

1st prem, $5, Cyrus Johnson, Harrison; 2d do, $3, E Hunnewell, So. Windham; 3d do, $2, same.

FACTORY MANUFACTURES.

Blankets—diploma, R O Moulton, Bridgton.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—The following transfers of real estate were recorded in this county yesterday:

Portland—Frederick H. Thompson to Benj. H. Jones, land and buildings on Cedar street.
Falmouth—John C. Adams to Eliza L. Crosby, homestead farm.
Brunswick—Susie E. Lewis to John W. Perry, land on Federal street.
North Yarmouth—Statira Tewksbury to R. A. Bibber, 23 sq rds land.
Harriet Crockett to Statira Tewksbury, lot of land on New Gloucester road.
Freeport—Fred L. Lapham to Sam'l A. Holbrook, land.
Bridgton—Hannah Jordan to Matthew W. Reed, 6 acres land.
Matthew W. Reed to Thomas B. Knapp, lot of land.
Thomas B. Knapp to William Hill, lot of land.
New Gloucester—Jabez H. Woodman to Jabez W. Woodman, homestead farm, 11 acres.

Olivia at the Portland Theatre.

The Portland Theatre, as we must now call it, was opened under its new management last evening. Mr. Curtis is to be congratulated upon the success of that opening; for one of the best known and most pleasing actresses on the American stage appeared in one of the most notable of modern dramatizations before one of the largest and most brilliant audiences ever gathered within the walls of our theatre.

Not a little fault can be found with "Olivia"; but one is so relieved to find that the exquisite story of the Vicar and his fortunes is not spoiled in the re-telling, that the good Doctor Primrose and his delightful family preserve so much of their charm when counterfeited on the stage;—so surprised that the idyl so readily lends itself to dramatic treatment; so pleased that the playwright has used much of the language of the author and succeeds in conveying so distinct a savor of the style, that the blemishes of the play are readily overlooked or pardoned. We expect in a dramatization to find the action hurried, the critical situations strongly emphasized, the light and shade heightened and deepened. The wonder is that so leisurely a tale as The Vicar of Wakefield, a story depending for interest so much upon the grace of its language, the purity of the author's style and his inimitable humor, should suffer so little when shaped into a drama. The work has been done by a loving and cunning hand. Certain liberties have been taken with the plot, it is true, but these are made necessary by the laws of dramatic construction. They are mostly of anticipation; the course of the narrative is somewhat changed, and in one or two instances the last becomes first and the first last—but for that we have a far higher authority than the canons of dramatic literature. The chief fault to be found, and that is doubtless unavoidable, is that the delicate charm of Goldsmith's exquisite humor is wanting. But the play so much betters expectation and contains so little which conflicts with our ideals that we pass over this with less regret than we could have believed possible.

The characterization is not unnaturally, to some extent disappointing. The same objection obtains to dramatizing a classic that applies to illustrating a favorite novel. We usually have in our mind's eye quite different pictures of the men and women of the ideal world than the author has created for us from those furnished by the artist or the actor. It is rarely that a genius appears who completely satisfies our ideal. This disappointment, perhaps unavoidable, was felt in a considerable degree last night. Yet Miss Davenport certainly fills out the broad lines of Goldsmith's picture, for she has the "luxuriancy of beauty," and "the open, sprightly and commanding features," with which he endowed Olivia. Her impersonation too is characterized by grace, delicacy and tact, and informed throughout by careful and intelligent study. In the lighter portions of the play she was charmingly natural and unaffected. If any fault is to be found it is in the serious passages. Her pathos does not always impress one as genuine. Too often the fine art that conceals art is wanting. She always knows what should be done, but is not always happy in doing it. Still the characterization was notably good, and in the opening part of the third act very fine. Mr. Mackey's Vicar was an agreeable surprise. It narrowly missed excellence, and was so good that one could not help regretting it had not been a little better. The fine humor of Goldsmith's great and lovable creation was not conveyed, it is true, but there is the fault of the playwright who has, apparently, not even sought to give it, for the Vicar of the play is rather a lacrymose character; the simplicity of character, ingenuousness of language, sweet courtesy and christian charity of Doctor Primrose are duly emphasized, but his shrewd and kindly humor is strangely neglected. That indeed is the chief fault of the the play. The comedy part is necessarily made more pronounced, the pathos is preserved—it cannot be heightened—but the delicate humor is absent. The aroma of the wine escapes in the pouring from old bottles into new.

The support, on the whole, bettered expectation. Mrs. Waldron was received with a cordiality that must have been gratifying to her—a warmth of welcome that our people seldom fail to extend to a familiar and kindly remembered face. Her Sophia is certainly not the 'soft and alluring" Sophia of Goldsmith, but is intelligently interpreted. The Squire Thornhill of Mr. Knowles is not a finely drawn characterization, but correctly done and praiseworthy for its moderation and wise restraint. Mrs. Primrose is acceptably done by Mrs. Tannehill. Miss Stella Congdon is a lively Polly, but rather more rustic than necessary. Mr. Price's Burchell is wanting in vigor, but by the kiss which he gave Sophia as the curtain went down on the second act made amends for many of his short-comings. That parting scene was a good bit of acting. The children, Dick and Bill, are pleasantly done by the little Misses Ella Quigly and Lillie Waldron, who look quaintly pretty in their old-time costumes.

The introduction of the latest pattern of trunk in one of the scenes, which cannot be said to aid the illusion. Indeed, it provoked a giggle from some of the giddy spectators.

PORTLAND'S PEDESTRIAN DEFEATED.—The fifty mile walking match at Bangor Wednesday between Christopher Toole of Bangor and James Driscoll of this city resulted in an easy victory for the former. The following will show the number of miles made each hour:

Hours.	Toole.	Driscoll.
1st } 2d }	10½	9¾
3d	4¾	5
4th	4½	4 7-21
5th	3¾	4
6th	4½	4 5-24
7th	4¾	4½
8th	4¾	4
9th	5	4
10th	5½	3 11-12
25 mes	2½	1 11-24
10 h. 25 m.	50	44½

Toole made his forty-first mile in 9 m. 42 sec., and his forty-fifth mile in 9 m. 31 sec. Both men walked without any intermission.

MILITARY COURTESIES.—Last evening a committee from the Portland Cadets received the rifle team of the Auburn Light Infantry on their return from Baldwin and took them to the Preble House where a fine supper was served. It was the intention of the Cadets to take the visitors to the theatre, but owing to the lateness of the train there was only time for the supper and a short visit to the Cadets' armory when they were obliged to leave on the Pullman train for home.

ROBBERY IN BALDWIN.—On Monday night last the house on the Valley Lodge farm, owned by the Brown Bros, was robbed of several articles of silver and several articles of wearing apparel.

A CHECKERED LIFE.—Samuel Witham died in Belfast, Sunday last, aged 68 years. A sailor who visited every part of the inhabited globe, his life was as checkered as is the usual lot of those who seek their fortunes on the deep. More than forty years ago, while on board a merchant vessel at Montevideo, one of those frequent South American revolutions broke out. Witham and five others of the crew were kidnapped, or pressed, as the term is, into the Brazilian navy, where he served two years and four months without pay. At one time the ships of the enemy drove the Brazilian vessels, on board one of which was Witham, up the Parana river, hundreds of miles into the interior, until the ships took bottom. Fighting until fighting was useless, those who were not killed escaped to the shore and blew up their vessels. They were now without provisions or clothing, hundreds of miles from the sea coast, and their suffering was great. On the march back, which occupied months, their only food was the meat of wild cattle, roasted over the camp-fire. Witham and one other American afterwards escaped, got on board an American frigate lying at Montevideo and served three years. Arriving at New York, after an absence of six years, his wife and family, undoubtedly thinking him dead, had gone to parts unknown, and he never again saw them. He afterwards learned of his wife's death. He served twelve years in the American navy, all through the Mexican war, and at the battle of Vera Cruz was wounded by a splinter from a shattered mast, striking him in the face. Latterly he has worked as a rigger and sail maker, in Belfast, where he leaves a widow. Mr. Witham was a native of Northport.

LIST OF PATENTS bearing date of Oct. 3, 1878, issued to residents of Maine reported for the Portland PRESS by Chas. E. Foster, Patent solicitor, Washington, D. C.

207,361—L. S. Chandler and S. N. Silver, Auburn, hydraulic engine.
207,359—G. F. Evans, Poland, magazine fire arm.

STATE NEWS.

HANCOCK COUNTY.

In the municipal court at Ellsworth last week, Alvarado Moseley, Mrs. Geo. Gilbert and an adopted son were arraigned before Judge Wiswell for breaking and entering the store of Leonard J. Thompson of Eden in the month of January last. They were held to appear at the October term of the Supreme Judicial Court.

Mrs. Carlisle, a young widow living in West Surry, committed suicide last week by drowning. She was despondent.

OXFORD COUNTY.

A young son of Henry Spencer of West Baldwin, aged about 10 years, had three fingers cut off while playing with a hay cutter last Sunday.

WALDO COUNTY.

Mr. H. Kittredge, a Belfast dry goods dealer, was assaulted in that city last Monday night by one Fred Baker who demanded his money. Baker has been arrested.

Hard times in Waldo. Last week a farmer, from one of the back towns, went into the Journal office and offered a reward of $20 for the recovery of a $125 diamond shirt stud, which he had lost in handling boxes.

YORK COUNTY.

Andrew Goodrich of Biddeford attempted suicide twice Wednesday—once by cutting his throat and again by hanging.

WHY suffer with a bad cold if one bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will cure a cough of the worst kind? Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is sold for 25 cents per bottle, or five bottles for $1 00 in every respectable drug store in the United States.

OCTOBER, 1878.

Great Reduction
IN THE PRICE OF
FURNITURE,
CONSISTING OF
COMMON, MEDIUM AND PARLOR
SUITS
OF THE BEST GRADES.
A Full Assortment of
PINE CHAMBER
AND
Black Walnut Sets,
Sideboards, Wardrobes, &c.,
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of every description.
HAT TREES, WHAT NOTS, BOOK CASES!
will be sold cheaper than at any other place in the city.
A great variety of
Lounges
on hand which are offered at very low prices.
Call In and See What I Have.
ENOCH LORD,
130 Exchange St.
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Ladies'
BROWN, THE Shoe Dealer, Has the largest and most complete stock of SHOE LACE BOOTS ever shown in Portland, in French and American Kid, in Oil and Pebble Goats for street wear. You can have your long slim, narrow feet fitted cheaper on Congress St., (sign of Gold Boot) than elsewhere, as I keep all widths from AA to D.
Gent's
BROWN, THE Shoe Dealer, Has a full line of BURT'S Congress and Button Boots, new and nobby Newark hand sewed goods. All widths and sizes, from ten to twenty per cent. less than you can buy elsewhere. Calf Boots for dress and heavy wear from A. to F., all widths. A full line of medium priced goods which will be sold as low as the lowest.
421 Congress St.,
Sign of Gold Boot.
N. B.—Ladies' Seamless Button a specialty.
sep27 eodtf

HOSIERY.
We have now ready for inspection our new line of Fall and Winter Hosiery Many of the styles are our own having been ordered in the Summer direct of the manufacturers, and therefore will not be as common as goods that other dealers have. We have studied to have our hosiery durable as well as stylish. Inspection solicited.
OWEN, MOORE & BAILEY.
se21 dtf

CORSETS!
Where to Buy Them!
A 46 Bone Corset for - - - 50 cents
The well known Pansy Corset 75 "
Sold everywhere for $1.00.
A splendid 106-Bone Corset for $1.00
The 110 Bone (French) Corset - 1.17
The 290 Bone " " 1.50
A beautiful 500 Bone (French) Corset only - - - - 2.00
Also the celebrated QUEEN BESS Health Corset.
Ladies please examine these goods.
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495 CONGRESS STREET,
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VERY LOWEST PRICES.
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Still open in Portland, at No. 119 Exchange St. Great reductions in prices! New books at cost! Shop worn books for almost nothing! Open day and evening. Old books and magazines bought, sold or exchanged. Old Bibles taken in exchange for new ones. Call at store for Catalogue.
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On First Class Mortgages or Good Notes.
Houses and Stores For Sale and To Let. Apply to W. H. WALDRON, Real Estate Broker, 180 Middle Street, Up Stairs sep24-eodtf.

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Grand Opening.
Friday and Saturday,
Oct. 4th and 5th.
We invite the Ladies and Gentlemen of Portland to call and examine new and beautiful goods.
The Latest Styles,
The Best Goods,
The Lowest Prices.
Charles Custis & Co.
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The many friends of Mr.
L. D. STROUT,
will be glad to learn that he may be found at No.
510 Congress st.,
(*Nearly opposite his Old Stand,*) where may be found a full line of
DRY AND FANCY GOODS
at bottom prices. Also a large stock of
Ladies', Misses' and Children's Suits, Cloaks and Underwear. Children's Suits a Specialty
With a low rent and light expenses he can sell everything VERY LOW. All new goods.
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Confectionery!
NEW FIRM.
Johnson & Redlon
are making a nice assortment of
CANDIES
—OF—
PURE GRANULATED SUGAR
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STEEL PENS
of the Very Best European Make, and unrivaled for Flexibility, Durability, and Evenness of Point.
REAL SWAN QUILL ACTION.
In Twenty Numbers. Samples, including the popular numbers, 1-2-5-8-15 and *Fine Points* *Broad Points* 3-16-18 will be sent by mail, for trial, on receipt of 25 Cents.
IVISON, BLAKEMAN, TAYLOR & Co.
138 and 140 Grand Street, New York.
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To the Tax Payers of Deering, 1878.
The Collector of the Town of Deering will be at the following places for the purpose of receiving taxes:
Oct 9th at J. J. Chenery & Co's Store, No. 484 Congress Street, Portland.
Oct. 10th at L. W. Dyer's Store, East Deering.
Oct. 11th at Abbott's Store, Allen's Corner
Oct. 12th at Bray's Store, Steven's Plains.
Oct. 14th at the Selectmen's Office, Town House.
Oct. 15th at Fry's Store, Woodford's Corner.
Last day of discount, Oct. 15th, 1878.
oc1d3t D. D. CHENERY, Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executrix of the Will of DAVID W. KINCAID, late of Cape Elizabeth, in the County of Cumberland, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
ABIGAIL B. KINCAID, Executrix.
Cape Elizabeth, Oct. 1, 1878. oc1dlaw3wF*

Notice.
MEMBERS of Machigonne Encampment, No. 1, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet in Convention with the members of other Encampments at Odd Fellows' Hall SATURDAY EVENING, at 7½ o'clock. Per order, C. F PLUMMER,
oc4d2t Recording Scribe.

Mrs. Merrill
Will be pleased to see her pupils and any who may desire to take lessons in singing, at 11 Henry St.
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NOVELTIES!
Just received fresh from New York markets all the very latest styles in
Neck Dressing!
the largest line ever shown by us, embracing all the
New Patterns, Colors and Shapes.
PAJAMAS!
The Latest for Gents' Night Dress.
A novelty only to be seen to be admired.
LINEN Collars and Cuffs!
Fresh styles just opened.
Something New and Nobby in Standing and Turn-over Collars.
DRIVING AND STREET GLOVES
—IN—
Oil Tanned Dog Skin, Antelope and Buck, Plain and Fancy Back,
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All sizes, colors, shapes and qualities.
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are now ready to show their customers and all others full and complete lines of
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KINSMAN'S GAS FITTING ESTABLISHMENT.
The undersigned offers for sale the stock and fixtures in store No. 128 Exchange street, Portland, so long occupied by John Kinsman. A fine opportunity for any one who wishes to engage in the plumbing business. The best location in the city.
PERCIVAL BONNEY,
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sep30 dtf

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Choice Flowers
For Parties and Funerals at lowest rates.
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NOW landing from Schooner Koret and for sale by CURTIS & DAVIS,
oc1d1m 152 Commercial St.

Dressmaking.
THOSE in want of an experienced Dressmaker, by the day or week, will find one by addressing Miss Merrill, 365 Congress street. Good reference if required. oct2d1w*

MISCELLANEOUS

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Announce the arrival and opening of a
CHOICE STOCK
of
Fall and Winter
CASSIMERES,
Suitings,
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OVERCOATINGS!
GENTLEMEN
will find it to their advantage to
CALL AND SELECT STYLES
while the assortment is complete.
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can then be left
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it will be found advantageous to examine our
New and Desirable
STOCK
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Learn our Prices.
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New stock All Wool Hose, assorted colors, at 37 1-2 cents, last year's price 50c.
NEW LINE OF
PARIS KID GLOVES,
in fine colors, at 50 cents.
A Good $1 Glove.
GENTS' UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS
of best material at 75c and $1.00.
These we buy direct from the largest manufacturers and they are warranted to fit or money refunded.
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Novelties in Dress Goods are to be worn again and we have the newest and prettiest designs in the market. Large line of
New Fall Cloaks and Garments
to arrive THIS WEEK. Besides above new goods we have a large line in the late Hall, Copps & Co.'s stock to be sold out at Bankrupt Prices.
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My new Fall shades in
50 cent KID GLOVES have arrived
And are without a doubt the
Strongest for the price made.
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B. C. Jordan
has removed to Alfred where he has improved facilities for the manufacture and sale of
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I shall continue to run the Biddeford mill and thus be able to fill all orders at shortest possible notice. Large stock always on hand.
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All Wool Pants!
$2.50.
And a guess as to the amount of CHINEE PILLS that the Glass Bottle contains which may entitle you to from $10.00 to $25.00 in Gold Coin.
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MEN'S FANCY CHEVIOT SUITS,
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Be sure and see them; they are very nobby and perfect fitting.
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Just Received!
The Handsomest Assortment
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Fancy Cassimere Pantaloons
Ever shown in this city. We guarantee every pair to fit equal to the best Custom made and we offer them 50 per cent below Custom prices.
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A BON-TON FALL OVERCOAT?
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Examine our Huge Pile.
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Acknowledged Essence of Style.
Made from Rough Diagonal Scotch Tweed.
Price $20.00!
We invite inspection and defy Competition.
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Preble House, Congress St.

Remember
That each customer who shall purchase goods to the amount of $2 50 is entitled to one guess as to the number of CHINE

POETRY.

To-day and To-morrow.

Old Time is the drollest of wags.
And puzzles the world with his rules;
He gave all *to-day* to the wise,
To-morrow he promised the fools.

At first he made naught but *to-day*,
With its joys, its successes, and sorrow;
Then to keep on good terms with the world,
He promised he'd make a *to-morrow*.

The idle rejoiced at the news,
Put their hands in their pockets and slept,
Believing the promise of Time
Would be most religiously kept.

They never conceived that the rogue
Had promised to-morrow in fun,
So quietly went to decay,
Leaving all to-day's work to be done.

At last they woke up but to find
To-morrow was really a myth,
And thought what they'd do, when too late,
If they had the time to do with.

They prayed to old Time to return,
"Twas merely the wasting of death,
For they found, as he laughed and flew on,
That to-morrow was nothing but breath.
—*Harpers' Bazar.*

[From the Maine State Press of October 3d.

History of Seven Days.

The News for the week ending Wednesday Night, Oct. 2nd.

NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The Indian Commission has returned from the country of the Ute Indians and arranged for their removal to a reservation elsewhere. They number about 2,530, and are now at least 200 miles away from railroad facilities. The reservation selected for them is at the head waters of the Navajo and Blanche rivers, isolated from white settlements and accessible to supplies. The Indians are satisfied with the arrangements, the government has approved them and the removal will take place at the most favorable time.

The statement that an arrangement has been entered into between France, England and the United States relative to the Newfoundland fisheries is untrue, so far as it concerns our government.

The Secretary of the Treasury has promoted I. H. Irish of Nebraska, late assistant chief of the bureau of engraving, to be chief of that bureau, vice McPherson resigned. He has also appointed Daniel W. Wilson of Ohio, to be assistant chief of the bureau.

The Smithsonian institution reports that Prof. Peters of Clinton, announces the discovery by himself of a planet of the 10th magnitude in 23 hours 44 minutes right ascension, eight degrees ten minutes south declination with daily motion slightly southward.

A Washington special says that criminal proceedings against the members of old Indian contractors ring are about to be begun, and none of the old ring are to be considered in any future bill or contracts.

Ellis Spear, Commissioner of Patents has resigned.

Governor Hampton of South Carolina having requested that the state authorities be allowed to collect the United States internal revenue taxes in that state, on account of great difficulties experienced by the United States revenue officers in the performance of that duty, Commissioner Raum, to whom the matter was referred, has replied that the proposition cannot be entertained.

The Mexican minister says that the purpose of the order of the Mexican government in sending 5,000 troops to the border was to effectually suppress raiding. Instead of having designs against the United States troops, the purpose is to aid them. The report of the minister's resignation is without foundation.

Charges of corruption are stated to have been made against Solicitor of the Treasury Raynor, and an investigation has been ordered.

A new Association is forming in Washington, known as the Enlistment Labor Association. They propose to urge upon Congress the passage of a law by which 100,000 volunteers may be enlisted for five years, for military and agricultural purposes on the government reservations, 12 skilled artisans to be in each company, and one regiment of each corps to be engineers. As soon as 10,000 men shall be enlisted, they shall be sent to the reservation and shall survey and lay out a city and commence the erection of quarters for permanent settlement, preparing ground for agricultural purposes and developing the mineral resources. Each corps is to be furnished by the government with seeds, stock, farming implements and tools. The volunteers are to receive the same pay as soldiers of the regular army, and upon honorable discharge each man is to be entitled to 100 acres of land, or in place thereof, to one lot within the limits of said city.

The Navy Department has in mind a cruise for the benefit of commerce. The plan is to send a United States vessel with a commission of experts on board to visit and report the condition of the ports a better acquaintance with which may benefit our commerce.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

The whaling bark Legal Tender, from the Arctic, reports bark Florence and the Hawaiian brig Wheeler stove by ice off Point Barrow. The bark Sea Breeze when last seen was leaking badly. The two first are probably a total loss. The crews of all were rescued. The fleet has gone eastward.

Edwin H. Goff, ex-president of the Boston, Concord & Montreal Railroad has absconded. The grand jury has found a true bill against him for forgery on the the Canadian Insurance Company.

Edward Browham of New Haven claims that his brother pushed him overboard from a yacht in which they were sailing on Long Island Sound Thursday evening, and refused to assist him. He swam about three hours and finally gained the shore. Edward owned property which would fall to his brother in case of death.

David Good, a wealthy farmer of Brookville, O., was arrested Monday and held in $1000, charged with ruining his daughter, Emma Jane, a beautiful girl aged 19. His wife and daughter made the complaint. The citizens attempted to lynch him, but were prevented by the mayor.

The New York Times special from New Orleans says Congressman Acklen is charged with drugging and outraging a respectable young woman. The ruined girl died recently from yellow fever. Her affidavits were found among the effects of the late Hon. L. Smith and put under seal by a justice of the peace. Acklen says the affair is attempt at blackmail.

The Norfolk and New York steamer Adelphi burst her boiler when a mile from her deck at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, on her way to New York. She was immediately towed to Gregory Point. Six persons were killed and some twenty scalded. The boiler blew out of the starboard side of the roof. The hull and machinery are but little injured.

The yellow fever shows signs of subsistance in several Southern cities; in others, especially Baton Rouge, it is on the increase.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Austrians have established themselves in Bosnia, but the country is not yet fully pacified.

The British fleet has been withdrawn from the neighborhood of Constantinople.

The Roumanian parliament is in session.

The message of Prince Charles advises the maintenance of a dignified attitude relative to Bessarabia in the hope that the territory may eventually be restored by the more clearly informed justice of Europe.

The Times' Constantinople despatch says the project of a treaty proposed by Russia for enforcing those portions of the treaty of San Stefano not abrogated by the Berlin Congress, fixes the amount of war indemnity to be paid by Turkey, exclusive of the territorial cessions, at 310,000,000 francs.

The British are forwarding army supplies to India in anticipation of a war with Afghanistan. It is reported that Russia has promised to withdraw her mission to Cabul.

The cotton strike in England is ended.

There is great opposition in Hungary to the Austrian occupation of Bosnia. Public meetings are held at which the Government is denounced. The Hungarian minister has resigned.

The coffee crop of Venezuela is good in quality but small in quantity.

The alarming depreciation of Turkish paper money continues, causing most serious apprehensions. At the beginning of last week it had only one-third its nominal value. Since then there has been a fall of nearly seven per cent. In all probability it will fall lower, for it is no longer accepted in the payment of tithes and is consequently flowing into Constantinople from all sides.

Numbers of Moors are dying from starvation at Fez and Meniquez, Morocco.

It is reported that Prince Don Koff Karsakoff, the Russian governor of Bulgaria, has refused to recognize the 13th article of the treaty of Berlin, entrusting the administration of finance in eastern Roumelia to an international commission.

The appointment of Count Ladislas Hoyos, the present Austro-Hungarian envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary at Washington, to be Austrian minister to Roumania, is officially announced from Vienna.

A Montreal despatch says that Premier MacKenzie met Lord Dufferin and placed his resignation in the latter's hands Friday.

BRIEF MENTION.

Gen. Holburt E. Pine of Wisconsin has been appointed commissioner of patents.——The Metropolitan Elevated railroad of New York has been indicted as a nuisance.——There is a probability that the fishery award question will be reopened by England.—— Red Cloud Indians have begun to move to the White Clay reservation.——Senator Thurman was taken ill while addressing a meeting at Bellaire, Ohio, Monday night. His sickness is not dangerous.——A. B. Cornell has been elected chairman of the New York Republican State Committee.——The President feels certain of the success of the Republican party in New York and Massachusetts.——Alexander H. Stephens is improving.——A committee has been appointed to examine and take account of the special paper, United States notes and other securities, whether partially printed or complete, held by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. The result of the count will be compared and must agree with the accounts of the Division of Loans and Currency in the Secretary's office.——A meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern railroad was held Monday to take action on proposed new leases by the road of other roads now operated by it. Pending a vote recess was taken till Oct. 7, polls to be kept open meanwhile.——The Nebraska Democrats have adopted a soft money platform.——Senator Dawes says Butler is losing ground in Massachusetts.

PORTLAND POST OFFICE.

Office Hours.

From 7.30 a m to 8.30 p m, Sundays excepted.
Sundays open for Carriers and General Delivery from 9 to 10 a m., and 1.30 to 2.30 p. m.

PORTLAND, ME., July 1, 1878.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

Boston and intermediate offices. Arrive at 12.40 and 7.40 p. m. Close at 8.15 a. m, and 12.30, 5.00 and 9.00 p. m.

Boston and the West. Arrive at 5.20 p m.

Intermediate or Way Mails via Boston and Maine Railway. Arrive at 12.40 and 8.10 p m. Close at 8.15 a. m. and 12.30 p. m.

Great Southern and Western. Arrive at 12.40, 7.40 and 1.10 p. m. Close at 8.15 a. m., 12.30, 5.00 and 9.00 p. m.

Bangor and connecting routes. Arrive at 1.10 p. m. Close at 11.45 a. m.

Augusta and connecting routes. Arrive at 8.50 a. m. and 1.10 p. m. Close at 11.45 a. m. and 4.45 p. m.

Morning Northwestern by G. T. R. Arrive at 8.35 a m. Close at 7.15 a m.

Lewiston and Auburn. Arrive at 2.20 and 8.50 a. m., and 1.10 p. m. Close at 5.45 and 11.45 a. m. and 4.45 p. m.

Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, S. W. Harbor, Mt. Desert, Jonesport, Machias, Machisaport, East Machias, Millbridge and Bar Harbor, via each steamer. Arrive at 6 a. m. Close at 9 p. m.

Eastport, via each steamer. Arrive at 6.00 a m. Close at 4.45 p. m.

Foreign Mails, via New York, day previous to sailing of steamers. Close at 8.15 a. m.

Express, Augusta, Bangor and the East. Arrive at 2.20 a m. Close at 9.00 p m.

Skowhegan intermediate offices and the north. Arrive at 1.10 p m. Close at 11.45 a. m.

Skowhegan also closes at 9.00 p m.

Canada and intermediate offices, via G. T. R. Arrive at 12.45 p. m. Close at 12.45 p. m.

Nova Scotia and Prince Edward's Island. Close at 11.45 a. m. and 9 p. m.

Swanton, Vt., and intermediate offices, via P. & O. R. R. Arrive 6.40 p. m. Close 6.45 a. m.

Fryeburg, Me., and intermediate offices, via P. & O. R. R Arrive 8.50 a. m. Close 12.05 p. m.

Worcester, Mass., and intermediate offices, via P. & R. R. R. Arrive 1.20 p m. Close 12.30 p. m.;

Rochester, N. H., and intermediate offices, via P. & R. R. R. Close 7 a. m.

Boston and the South and West, *Sunday only.* Arrive 12.45 p. m. Close 2 p. m.

The Rates of Postage.

Postal cards, one cent each, go without further charge to all parts of the United States and Canadas with an additional one-cent stamp they go to all parts of Europe.

All letters, to all parts of the United States and Canada, three cents per half-ounce.

'Local, or "drop" letters, that is, for the city or town where deposited, 2 cents if delivered by carriers, and 1 cent where there is no carrier system.

Newspapers, daily, semi weekly, tri weekly and weeklies, regularly issued and sent to regular subscribers, 2 cents per pound, payable at the office of publication, newspapers and magazines published less frequently than once a week, 3 cents per pound. Transient newspapers, magazines, pamphlets, books and handbills, 1 cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof. All other miscellaneous matter, including unsealed circulars, book manuscripts, proof-sheets, photographs, &c., and also seeds, cuttings, bulbs and roots, and merchandise not exceeding four pounds in weight, 1 cent for each ounce or fraction thereof.

The following are the postal rates with Europe: The rates for letters are for the half-ounce or fraction thereof, and those for newspapers for four ounces or fraction thereof:—

To Great Britain and Ireland, letters 5 cent; newspapers 2 cents; France, letters 5 cents, news papers 2 cents; Spain, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; all parts of Germany, including Austria, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; Denmark, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; Switzerland, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; Italy, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; Russia, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; Norway, letters 5 cents, news papers 2 cents; Sweden, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; Turkey, European and Asiatic, letters 5 cents, newspapers 2 cents; Egypt, letters 5 cents. newspapers 2 cents.

For Asiatic countries, the half-ounce limit for letters, and the four ounces for newspapers, still holding good, the rates are:—

To Australia, letters, via San Francisco (except to New South Wales) 5 cents, via Southampton 15 cents, via Brindisi 19 cents, newspapers, via San Francisco 2 cents, via Southampton 4 cents, via Brindisi 6 cents, China, letters, via San Francisco 10 cents, via Southampton 15 cents, via Brindisi 19 cents, newspapers 2, 4 and 8 cents, by the respective routes; British India, Italian mail, letters, 10 cents, newspapers 4 cents; Japan, letters, via San Francisco 5 cents, via England, 10 cents, via Brindisi 31 cents, newspapers, via San Francisco 2 cents, via Southampton 4 cents, via Brindisi 8 cents.

Stated Meetings.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

The regular meetings of the City Council take place the first Monday evening of each month.

The School Committee meet the third Monday evening of each month.

MASONIC.

At Masonic Hall, No. 95 Exchange Street.

YORK RITE.

BLUE LODGE—Ancient Land-Mark, first Wednesday; Portland, second Wednesday; Atlantic, third Wednesday.

CHAPTERS—Greenleaf R. A. C., first Monday; Mt. Vernon, R. A. C., third Monday.

COUNCIL—Portland C. R. & S. Masters, second Monday.

COMMANDERIES OF K. T.—Portland, fourth Monday; St. Albans, second Thursday; Blanquefort, 3d Thursday.

GRAND BODIES—Grand Lodge, first Tuesday in May; Grand Chapter, first Tuesday evening in May; Grand Council, Wednesday 2 p. m.; Grand Commandery, Wednesday evening.

MASONIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Fourth Wednesday in every month.

PORTLAND SCHOOL OF MASONIC INSTRUCTION—Second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE.

LODGE—Yates Grand Lodge of Perfection, first Friday.

COUNCIL—Portland Council P. of J. second Friday.

CHAPTER—Dunlap Chapter Rose Croix de H. Third Friday.

CONSISTORY—Maine Consistory, S. P. R. S., fourth Friday in March, June, September and December.

I. O. O. F.

At Odd Fellows' Hall, Farrington Block, Congress Street.

RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Third Tuesday in the month.

BENEFIT ASSOCIATION—Board of Directors meet first Monday evening of each month. Association meets first Monday evening of January, April, July and October.

LODGES—Maine, on Monday evenings; Ancient Brothers, on Thursday evenings; Ligonia, on Friday evening; Beacon, on Tuesday evenings; Unity, No. 3, on Wednesday evening; Ivy, D. of R., second and fourth Saturday of each month.

ENCAMPMENT—Machigonne, first and third Wednesday; Eastern Star, second and fourth Wednesday; Portland, first and third Friday; Falmouth, No. 11, first and third Tuesdays.

TEMPLARS OF HONOR.

At Templars' Hall, No. 100 Exchange Street.

COUNCIL—Maine, first and third Monday in each month.

TEMPLE—Forest City, No. 1, every Wednesday evening.

FOREST CITY COMMANDERY No. 16 convenes at P. O. S. of A. Hall, Plum St., on first Thursday of each month.

BOSWORTH POST G. A. R.—Meeting every Friday evening in Mechanics' Hall, corner of Congress and Casco streets.

PORTLAND TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION, No. 75—Second Saturday of each month.

PORTLAND SOCIETY OF NATURAL HISTORY—At their library room, City Hall, on the first and third Monday evenings of each month.

SOVEREIGNS OF INDUSTRY—Dirigo Council, No. 1 meets every Friday evening, at Arcana Hall, at 7½ o'clock.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS—Arcana, Monday, Congress Hall, 420½ Congress St.; Mission, Wednesday, Williams' Block, Congress street; Mystic, Thursday, at Sons of Temperance Hall.

PATRIOTIC ORDER SONS OF AMERICA—Camps No 1 and 3 convene at P. O. S. of A. Hall, Plum street. No. 1 on Tuesday evening; No. 3 on Monday evening of each week; No 2 at School House, Turner's Island, Cape Elizabeth Friday Evening.

PAYSON LITERARY SOCIETY—Meetings every Monday evening, Brown's Block, cor. Brown and Congress streets, at 7½ o'clock.

PORTLAND FRATERNITY—No. 4½ Free St. Block Every evening.

PORTLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY AND READING ROOM—Open and free to all from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. City Building.

MAINE CHARITABLE MECHANIC ASSOCIATION—Corner of Congress and Casco streets. First Thursday in each month.

PORTLAND TEMPERANCE REFORM CLUB—Headquarters corner of Congress and Temple streets. Open day and evening. Business meeting Tuesday evenings at 7½ o'clock.

PORTLAND TEMPERANCE UNION—Congress Hall. Business meetings Thursday evenings; public meetings Sunday evenings, at 7 o'clock.

JUVENILE TEMPLARS—Perham Temple, No. 24, at Congress Hall, every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Temperance concerts first Sunday in every month.

PORTLAND ARMY AND NAVY UNION—Corner Congress and Brown streets. First Tuesday in each month.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION—Opposite Preble House, Congress Street, open day and evening. Union Gospel Meetings Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7½ o'clock.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Bramhall Lodge, No. 3 Tuesday evenings; Munjoy Lodge, No. 6, Monday evenings; Pine Tree, No. 11, Friday evenings, at their Hall, Clapp's Block, Market Square. Section 181 Endowment Rank, fourth Thursday in each month.

Portland Wholesale Prices Current.

Corrected for the PRESS to October 2, 1878.

Apples.	
Green.....	1 00 @ 2 00
Dri'd West'n	5 @ 5
do Eastern..	6 @ 7
Ashes.	
Pearl, ℔lb..	11 @ 11½
Pot.....	6 @ 7
Beans.	
Pea.....	1 90 @ 2 00
Mediums....	1 80 @ 1 90
Yellow Eyes.	2 00 @ 2 25
Bread.	
Pilot Sup ...	8 00 @10 00
do ex 100 lb.	6 00 @ 8 00
Ship.....	4 00 @ 4 50
Crackers ℔ 100.....	30 @ 40
Butter.	
Family, ℔ lb	20 @ 23
Store.....	10 @ 15
Candles.	
Mould, ℔ lb	17 @ 20
Sperm.....	10 @ 15
Charcoal.	
Pine.....	@ 12
Hard Wood, Oak.....	@ 15
Birch, Maple.	@ 17
Pit burned, Maple.....	@ 19
Cheese.	
Verm't, ℔ lb	8@ 9½
Maine.....	8@ 9½
N.Y. Factory	8@ 9½
Coal—(Retail.)	
Cumberland.	6 00 @ 6 50
Picton.....	6 50 @ 7 00
Diesmut....	5 00 @ 5 50
Franklin...	6 50 @ 7 00
Lehigh & W. Ash....	5 50 @ 6 00
Coffee	
Java, ℔lb..	24 @ 27
Rio.....	15 @ 18
Cooperage.	
Hhd. Shooks and Heads.	
Mol. City..	2 00 @ 2 10
Sug. City..	@ 2 15
Sug. C....	1 05 @ 1 10
Pine. Sugar box shooks	48 60 @50 00
Hhd Headings, Spruce	50 @ 55
Pine.....	@20 00
Hard Pine	@23 00
Hoops, 14 ft.	25 00 @8 00
Short do 8 ft	12 00 @13 00
7 ft.	8 00 @10 00
Pop'r Staves.	16 00 @17 00
Spruce, r'gh.	@14 00
R. O. Staves	@40 00
Copper.	
Cop. Bolts...	@ 30
Y.M.Metalting.....	@ 14
Bronze do .	@ 14
Y. M. Bolts.	@ 20
Cop. bottoms.	32 @ 34
Cordage.	
Amer.n ℔ lb	10 @ 11
Russia.....	12 @ 13
Manilla.....	12 @ 13
Manilla Bolt Rope.....	@ 14
Dye and Dyes.	
Acid Oxalic..	15 @ 20
" tart....	@ 55
Alcohol ℔gl.	2 20 @ 2 25
Alum.....	4 @ 5
Ammonia carb	20 @ 23
Ashes pot...	6 @ 7
Bals copaiba	40 @ 45
Beeswax....	36 @ 40
Bleaching powders..	3 @ 5
Borax.....	12 @ 14
Brimstone...	@ 4
Cochineal...	70 @ 75
Copperas...	1½ @ 3
Cream tartar	32 @ 35
Ex Logwood	12 @ 17
Gum Arabic.	25 @ 65
Aloes cape.	15 @ 25
Camphor ..	@ 33
Myrrh	@ 45
Opium....	@ 5 00
Shellac....	28 @ 30
Indigo.....	90 @ 1 25
Iodine	@ 5 25
Ipecac	1 70 @ 1 80
Licorice...	15 @ 20
Calcx.....	34 @ 40
Morphine....	3 60 @
Oil bergamot	@ 4 00
Cod liver...	1 25 @ 1 50
Lemon....	@ 3 00
Olive.....	1 25 @ 1 75
Peppt.....	2 50 @ 3 25
Winter'n..	@ 2 50
Potass bromide.....	45 @ 50
Chlorate..	28 @ 30
Iodide	3 85 @
Quicksilver..	@ 65
Quinine....	4 00 @
R. Rhubarb.	75 @ 1 50
Rt. Snake..	35 @
Saltpetre...	10 @
Senna.....	15 @ 25
Seed canary.	2 50 @ 2 75
Cardamons	1 95 @ 2 50
Soda, bi-carb	4 @ 7½
Sal.....	2½ @ 3
Sulphur....	4 @ 4½
Sugar lead..	22 @ 25
White wax..	55 @ 60
Vanilla bean.	11 00 @15 00
Vitrol blue..	10 @
Duck.	
No. 1.....	@ 29
No. 3.....	@ 27
No. 10.....	@ 19
9 oz.....	@ 15
10 oz.....	@ 19
Dyewoods.	
Barwood...	@ 3
Brazil wood.	5 @ 7
Camwood...	6 @ 7
Fustic.....	2½ @ 3
Logwood...	@
Campeachy..	1½ @ 2
St. Domingo	1½ @
Peach Wood.	@ 1½
Red Wood...	@ 2½
Fish.	
Cod, per qtl.	
L'ge Shore	3 75 @ 4 00
L'ge Bank.	3 75 @ 4 00
Small.....	2 75 @ 3 00
Pollock.....	1 50 @ 1 75
Hadlock....	1,50 @ 1 75
Hake.....	62 @ 87
Herring.	
Shore, ℔ bbl	3 50 @4 00
Scal'd ℔box.	18 @22
No. 1.....	13 @15
Mackerel, ℔bbl.	
Bay No. 1..	12 00 @14 00
Bay No. 2..	7 00 @ 8 50
Large 3....	6 00 @ 7 50
Shore No. 1.	15 00 @17 00
No. 2.....	6 50 @ 8 00
No. 3.....	3 75 @ 4 50
Small	2 25 @ 3 00
Clam Bait .	none.
Flour.	
Superfine....	3 50 @ 4 00
Ex-Spring...	4 75 @ 5 25
xx Spring...	5 25 @ 5 75
Pat't Spring wheats....	7 50 @ 8 50
Mich'n Winter best....	5 75 @ 6 00
Low Grade Michigan..	4 50 @5 00
St. Louis winter fair....	5 50 @ 6 25
Win'r good	6 00 @ 6 25
" best..	6 50 @ 7 25
Fruit.	
Almonds, Soft shell..	19 @ 20
Shelled...	35 @ 42
Peanuts....	1 50 @ 2 00
Citron.....	16 @ 20
Currants...	7½ @ 8½
Dates.....	9½ @ 7
Figs.....	12 @ 18
Prunes.....	10 @ 15
Raisins, Layer, new	1 85 @ 2 00
L. M. new.	2 05 @ 2 15
New Val. ℔ lb....	8 @ 8½
Lemons ℔box	@ 8 00
Oranges ℔ b.	@ 8 00
Oranges Val.	@15 00
Gunpowder.	
Blasting ...	3 50 @ 4 00
Sporting....	5 50 @ 6 50
Grain.	
Corn. h. m...	55@ 56
Yellow....	@ 57
bag lots.	60 @ 57
Meal.....	@ 55
Rye.....	@ 90
Barley.....	@ 1 00
Oats.....	37 @
Fine Feed..	@24 00
Shorts.....	@20 00
Hay.	
Pres'd, ℔ton	17 00 @12 00
Loose.....	12 00 @13 00
Straw.....	6 00 @ 8 00
Iron.	
Common....	1½@ 2½
Refined.....	2½@ 2½
Norway.....	4½@ 5
Cast Steel ...	15 @ 18
German Steel	9 @ 11
Shoe Steel...	@ 3½
Spring Steel.	7 @ 9½
Sheet Iron Common....	3½@ 4
H. C.....	5 @ 5½
Russia.....	12½@ 13
Galv.....	7 @ 10
Lard.	
Kegs, ℔lb....	7½@ 8
Tierces ℔ lb.	7½@ 8
Pail.....	9½@ 10½
Caddies.....	10½@ 11½
Lead.	
Sheet & Pipe.	9 @ 9½
Pig.....	8 @ 8½
Leather.	
New York, Light.....	22 @ 25
Mid. Weights.	23 @ 25
Heavy.....	23 @ 25
Slaughter....	32 @ 36
Gd. Dam'g'd.	20 @ 23
Am. Calf....	80 @ 1 00
Lime.	
Rockland c'sk.	@ 90
Lumber	
Clear Pine.	
Nos. 1 & 2..	40 00 @55 00
No. 3.....	30 00 @40 00
Shipping..	15 00 @20 00
Spruce.....	10 00 @12 00
Hemlock...	9 50 @11 00
Clapboards, Spruce ex.	24 00 @26 00
do No. 1.	14 00 @17 00
Clear....	22 00 @25 00
Pine.....	30 00 @55 00
Shingles, Cedar ex..	3 00 @ 3 50
Cedar ex No 1	1 75 @ 2 25
Spruce....	1 50 @ 1 75
Laths, spruce	1 50 @ 1 75
Pine.....	@ 2 25
Matches.	
Star, ℔ gross	2 00 @ 2 10
Molasses.	
Porto Rico..	38 @ 50
Cienfuegos..	36 @ 39
Muscovado...	30 @ 33
New Orleans	33 @ 50
Barbadoes ..	40 @ 41
Sagua.....	35 @ 38
Nails.	
Cask.....	@ 2 60
Naval Stores.	
Tar, ℔ bbl..	@ 3 50
Pitch (C.Tar)	@ 4 00
Wil Pitch..	@ 3 75
Rosin	4 00 @ 6 00
Turp'tine, gl.	33 @ 37
Oil.	
Kerosene....	@ 16½
Port. Ref. Pr	@ 11½
Devoe Brilt't	@ 21
Sperm.....	1 25 @ 1 30
Whale	70 @ 75
Bank.....	40 @ 50
Shore.....	30 @ 45
Porgie.....	35 @ 37
Linseed....	@ 60
Boiled do..	@ 63
Lard.....	65 @ 70
Castor.....	1 00 @ 1 20
Neatsfoot...	1 00 @ 1 12
Elaine.....	52 @ 54
Paints.	
Port. Lead.	8 00 @ 8 25
Pure Gr'd oz	7 60 @ 8 00
Pure Dry do.	@ 8 00
Am. Zinc....	10 @ 12
Rochelle Yel.	2½@ 3
Eng. Ven. red	2½@ 3
Red Lead	10 @
Plaster.	
White. ℔ton.	@ 3 00
Blue.....	@ 2 75
Grd'nd in bbl	8 00 @ 9 00
Calcined, bls.	2 75 @ 3 00
Produce.	
Beef Side....	7 @ 9
Veal	@
Mutton.....	9 @ 11
Chickens...	10 @ 12
Turkeys....	14 @ 16
Eggs, ℔ doz.	16 @ 17
Potatoes, new	@ 60
Onions, bbl..	2 00 @ 2 25
Bermuda c'to	80 @ 90
Round hogs .	6 @ 6½
Provisions.	
Mess Beef...	10 50 @11 00
Ex Mess...	11 50 @12 50
Plate.....	12 00 @12 50
Ex Plate..	12 50 @13 00
Pork, Backs.....	@14 50
Clear.....	@13 50
Mess	12 50 @13 00
Hams.....	11 @ 14
Rice.	
Rice ℔ lb....	7 @ 8
Saleratus.	
Saleratus ℔lb	6 @ 7
Salt.	
Turk's isl. ℔ bush. (bd.)	2 00 @ 2 37½
Bonaire ..	@
Cadiz, dn. pd.	2 00 @ 2 25
Cadiz in b'nd	1 37½ @ 1 75
Liverpool, Dairy paid.	1 50 @ 1 87½
In bond...	1 37½ @ 1 75
Gr'nd butter	17 ℔ box
Liv. fine sack	1 75 @ 2 00
Seeds.	
Clover, lb....	8 @ 8½
Red Top bag	2 00 @ 2 25
H. Grass, bu.	1 55 @ 1 60
Soap.	
Ex St'nd'd.	@ 8
Family.....	@ 7
No. 1.....	@ 6½
Spices.	
Cassia, pure,	20 @ 8½
Cloves.....	43 @ 45
Ginger.....	12 @ 14
Mace	1 15 @ 1 20
Nutmegs....	90 @ 95
Pepper.....	20 @ 22
Starch.	
Pearl.....	6 @ 8
Sugar.	
Granulated..	@ 9½
Extra C....	@ 9½
C.....	8 @ 8½
Syrups.....	@ 55
Eagle Sugar Refinery, C.....	@ 7
CC.....	@ 7
ExC.....	@ 8
Teas.	
Souchong....	25 @ 45
Oolong.....	25 @ 30
do choice.	35 @ 45
Japan.....	25 @ 30
do choice.	30 @ 45
Tin.	
Straits.....	16 @ 18
English.....	17 @ 21
Char. I. C...	5 75 @ 7 00
Char. I. X...	8 75 @ 9 00
Terne.....	6 75 @ 7 25
Coke.....	6 25 @ 7 25
Antimony...	@ 20
Zinc.....	7 00 @ 7 50
Tobacco.	
Fives and tens, Best brands	65 @ 75
Medium...	55 @ 60
Common..	48 @ 52
Half lb.....	50 @ 55
Nat'l Leaf...	90 @ 1 00
Navy lbs....	55 @ 62
Varnish.	
Damar.....	1 25 @ 1 75
Copal.....	2 25 @ 5 50
Furniture...	1 25 @ 2 50
Wool.	
Fl'ce wash'd	25 @ 30
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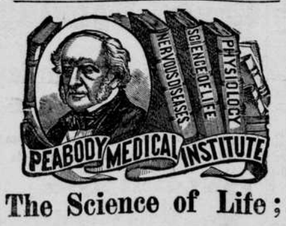

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